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EASTERN DATES TO SEPT 29

Surrender of Strasbourg Confirmed

[illegible] Sept [illegible] Telegrams [illegible] confirm the report of the surrender of Strasbourg. [illegible] reported that the inhabitants [illegible] operation yesterday succeeded in raising a white flag from the Cathedral but [illegible] it down. The surrender was afterwards [illegible] pelled by the presence of the citizens and the garrison.

French Military Preparations

[illegible] Sept 22 via London [illegible] Everywhere the roads are covered with soldiers and recruits for the Army of the Loire which is in process of formation at Tours. [illegible] about organizing [illegible] armies will harass and annoy the Prussians during the siege of Paris.

[illegible] Sept [illegible] The British Cabinet meets [illegible] day to consider the question [illegible]

Disposition of Alsace and Lorraine

Berlin Sept 28.—It is decided to place Alsace and Lorraine as a German Federal Province under the administration of Federal authorities and they will be represented in the German Parliament by a commission at present. The inhabitants will not be subjected to any military burthens.

From Madrid—Cuban Affairs.

[illegible] Sept 28.—A Madrid correspondent says that De R[illegible] refuses to execute the [illegible] of the Minister of the Colonies and laws made by the Cortes.

The Spanish Government refuses to accede to the proposition to name a commission to fix indemnities payable for American losses in Cuba.

Vomito is spreading rapidly at Barcelona.

Heavy Fighting near Metz

A Berlin correspondent telegraphs on the [illegible] that on the [illegible] and [illegible] there was heavy fighting [illegible] considerable magnitude east of Metz, the 1st corps and the 13th division being engaged. No advantage of any consequence was gained by the French.

Montmedy is reported semi-officially to have been taken.

[illegible] near Metz in camp Sept [illegible] At [illegible] on yesterday the French under cover of guns from the fort sallied forth against the Prussian right. The battle raged from [illegible] o'clock when the Germans were reinforced and drove the French back within the lines.

In [illegible] the French attacked vigorously the left of the Prussian line little east of the Th[illegible] ville road. Once they gained a temporary advantage carrying an outwork of the Prussian lines and turning the flank of another [illegible] but were soon driven back gallantly contesting every inch of ground. Details of the result are yet unknown.

The report of Bazaine's offer of capitulation is untrue. Bazaine told Favre "My Emperor placed me at this post and I shall hold it till I fall."

VIENNA Sept 28.—In yesterday's session the Reichsrath [illegible] confederation [illegible] [illegible] passed by a large majority.

[illegible] Sept 28. The [illegible] *Tech* has [illegible] engagement with three French frigates.

From Paris

TOURS Sept 27.—Paris has been quiet and orderly up to the 24th. The Prussian reports of a riot are false. [illegible] Gambetta actually on both sides of the [illegible] Gambetta, Jarnier Pages and Arago have been added to the committee of defense.

French Losses

LONDON Sept 28.—A Berlin correspondent writes on the 26th that an official statement of [illegible] successes thus far not including [illegible] from August 2d shows 1 Marshal [illegible] Generals, [illegible] officers, 100,000 privates [illegible] eagles, [illegible] mitrailleurs [illegible] field and fortress guns, [illegible] wagons and trains [illegible] magazines, railway trains with an enormous quantity of supplies, arms, ammunition, provisions, equipments, etc. The French [illegible] killed, wounded and prisoners exceed 150,000.

Closer union of Bavaria with North [illegible] has been concluded by negotiations of De[illegible]

Yellow Fever in New York

NEW YORK Sept [illegible]—There were 10 deaths yesterday from yellow fever.

Advices from [illegible] state that great confidence and enthusiasm prevails among the people and troops in Paris.

The North German [illegible] censures the United States for its recognition of the French Republic.

There is great rejoicing throughout Germany over the capture of Strasbourg.

OREGON

The California Dramatic Company are giving entertainments in Southern Oregon.

The grapes in Jackson county are just arriving at maturity, the grape season has lately begun. They are abundant this year and most delicious, the *Sentinel* says.

The rumor to the effect that a fatal case of small pox had occurred [illegible] is contradicted. The story started from the [illegible] case of chicken pox mentioned in the [illegible] some time ago.

One of the Democratic [illegible] in Yamhill county took his departure last week from the county and at the same time took the wife of the farmer friend who had kept him all through the election and $400 in money.

Col. R. S. Williamson and his assistants left [illegible] burg on the [illegible] to make a survey of Umpqua river with a view of removing the obstructions to navigation. An improvement of that kind is certainly of vast importance for Douglas county.

Commenting upon the action of the southern members in the Legislature the [illegible] of the [illegible] says: "We flatter ourself that the people of southern Oregon will [illegible] that there was [illegible] humbug in the [illegible] question. Their Representatives [illegible] with Democratic [illegible] have virtually killed the chances for a railroad through this valley by supporting [illegible] Kelly. He could [illegible] it telegraphed back here by a friend and [illegible] got our Representatives to [illegible] of Kelly's election are simply [illegible] We are [illegible] out by the [illegible] and we now believe with it that Southern Oregon will [illegible] get a railroad."

SUPREME COURT

[illegible] the State [illegible]
W[illegible] Sept [illegible]
[illegible] J. N. [illegible] Wingard [illegible] Circuit Court [illegible] was admitted to the bar as [illegible] attorney [illegible]

[illegible] Multnomah [illegible] argued and [illegible] [illegible] Dryer and [illegible]

Latham [illegible] Multnomah argued [illegible] appellant [illegible] Court adjourned to [illegible]

A new [illegible] Democracy has [illegible] State Alliance [illegible] about [illegible] met for benevolent purposes [illegible] who have resolved to make independent nominations when [illegible] the regular [illegible] suit them.

The reported illness of Chief Justice Chase turns out to be less dangerous than was at first supposed. He is up again and walked about in the open air and his friends anticipate a complete and speedy restoration to health.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

[illegible]

Startling News—An Immense Russian Army on the Prussian Frontier—Great Excitement in London and Berlin

NEW YORK Sept 29.—Startling news of the [illegible] an immense Russian army on the frontier [illegible] yet [illegible] special [illegible] London [illegible] correspondent states [illegible] categorical explanation of her purposes [illegible] with France. There is great uneasiness in Berlin and London. A cabinet meeting [illegible] which was to have been held on Friday has been [illegible] British Minister at [illegible] by [illegible] before all Europe [illegible]

Another Unsuccessful Sortie from Metz

[illegible] Sept [illegible] The [illegible] has [illegible] special [illegible] Wednesday last the French made another sortie from Metz with forces consisting of cavalry and artillery and were protected by the guns of fortresses Coellin and Battes. The French advanced and encountered the Prussians. Another severe conflict ensued which resulted in the defeat of the French though they carried off their wounded dead and all Prussian prisoners captured. A village was burned by shells.

Russia Arming on a Gigantic Scale

The military preparations of Russia are proceeding on a gigantic scale. Great activity prevails everywhere.

Public Opinion in Germany

[illegible] Sept [illegible] Three [illegible] prevail in Germany in regard to the question of the terms of peace. One party agrees with Bismarck that the war ought not to stop [illegible] Alsace and Lorraine including the fortified city of Metz are annexed to Germany when they were taken.

Another party demand that Metz and Strasbourg be dismantled and merely that France indemnify Germany for the costs of the war.

The third party limit the territorial demand to Alsace and a narrow strip of Lorraine on the east where German is the prevailing language.

Prussian Military Operations

The siege guns which were in position before Strasbourg have been [illegible] to Paris. [illegible] of them have already arrived. The Prussian cavalry have [illegible] from Strasbourg.

The Prussian headquarters around Paris are [illegible] King William at Ferrieres, the Crown Prince at Versailles, Prince of Saxony at [illegible]

Carrier pigeons are now the only messengers between Paris and Tours. Balloons afford [illegible] mark to Prussian rifles.

The [illegible] troops claim the credit of the capture of Strasbourg.

Capture of Strasbourg Denied by the French

[illegible] Sept 29. The report having reached here of the capture of Strasbourg, the Government [illegible] a dispatch from the French [illegible] at [illegible] The Consul says the Prussians had made three frequent [illegible] but unsuccessful assaults on Strasbourg [illegible] which they suffered heavy losses. The white flag which was subsequently displayed to bury the dead gave rise to the rumor that the city had capitulated. Communication is cut off in all directions and the fall of Strasbourg is by no means impossible. Notwithstanding the denial [illegible] there is a strong belief that the rumor is not altogether groundless.

[illegible] Sept 29. The Wurtemberg [illegible] journal denies the intention of the government to enter the North German Confederation.

To-day's [illegible] hopes England will not be sacrificed to be [illegible] but will denounce Prussian [illegible] of the war.

Great Fire at Antwerp

ANTWERP Sept [illegible]—A great fire is now raging in the city. The [illegible] house of [illegible] and several adjoining buildings are destroyed thus far.

Condition of Strasbourg

NEW YORK Sept 29.—A special to the *Telegram* [illegible] London gives a dispatch from Munich [illegible] of the 28th which says Strasbourg only surrendered when in a helpless condition. The [illegible] almost untenable. Cases [illegible] numberless. The inhabitants are famishing and the dead and dying are lying in crowds in the streets.

Sensational Dispatch to the Chicago Times

C[illegible] Sept [illegible] The *Times* of this morning has the following dispatch which although not published as a special appears in no other paper:

[illegible] Sept 28.—Intense excitement was created in diplomatic circles here to-day by the receipt at the Foreign Office of a note from Russia saying that the expansion of the boundaries of Prussia has compelled her to interfere in the present struggle, that Prussia had constantly and persistently violated her treaties, that to the remonstrances of other powers she gave but insolence and that now she has openly avowed her war on France to be one of conquest for the acquisition of vast provinces which should make her the one dominant power of Europe. It was the duty of the other powers to check Prussia's policy of aggrandizement or prepare for [illegible] German Empire. Upon receipt of the note a special meeting of the Privy Council was held which remained in session five hours, waiting to exchange dispatches with Lord Lyons, Minister at Paris.

To-night it was openly stated by an attache of the Russian legation in the presence of the Prussian Minister that the movement on Turkey was a feint and that 100,000 troops were now massed on Russia.

Lord Clarendon when asked to-night the effect of the Russian note replied that it was equivalent to an official notification that Russia had declared war against Prussia.

No one believes the dispatch in Chicago, the origin of which is unknown.

WALLA WALLA CROPS. The Walla Walla [illegible] speaking of the harvest of [illegible] that valley says:

The crops have not generally come up to the expectation. Of wheat, however, the yield around the foothills is from thirty-five to forty bushels per acre, the average is about the same on the Touchet, Mill Creek and other streams. The [illegible] yields from fifteen to forty bushels per acre. Of oats we hear of as high as one hundred bushels per acre of Norway. Forty bushels is about the average for the county. Barley has yielded well. Potatoes are large and plump, showing a large average. Corn is excellent [illegible] who have grown corn [illegible] say that it will [illegible] compare with the [illegible] States. We have walked through a field of corn on Mill Creek that would average nine feet with four and five ears to the stalk.

Fruits are generally [illegible] some localities. Peaches and plums [illegible] place an exceptional failure in the [illegible] crop. On the Touchet [illegible] an excellent yield [illegible] by this locality being shaded from the influence of the sun early in the spring, that other [illegible] started the trees so early that the fruit buds were killed by the cold storm of March. The orchards are largely of [illegible] Walla Walla [illegible] the whole region [illegible] to the [illegible] has had to walk through [illegible] apples [illegible]

[illegible] during the past season than any other previous year from which it may [illegible] that civilization is rapidly advancing among the savages.

The population of Connecticut is placed at [illegible]

FROM THE STATE CAPITAL

[illegible] CORRESPONDENT

S[illegible] Wednesday, Sept 28, 1870.

[illegible] TO A [illegible] PRIVILEGE

This morning after the Senate had been prayed unto [illegible] Mr Cochran of Lane rose to a [illegible] privilege. He read from the *Statesman* a local item in regard to his rise to a question of privilege yesterday morning and complained that it had made matters worse than before. In addition to placing him in a false light the [illegible] intimated that he was [illegible] and in another place it referred to the very [illegible] Senator from Lane, which Mr Cochran [illegible] personal and offensive. He proposed [illegible] sundry offenses to make the Senate Chamber a poor place for the editor of the S[illegible] But this part of the question of privilege is the exclusive funeral of the *Statesman* editor and I pass it—reverently. Mr Cochran made a further point that he had heard that the *Statesman* editor had made up his reports from the notes of the OREGONIAN reporter and that he therefore would hold the reporter responsible for his share of the offense. He would give *that* reporter twenty-four hours (alas how brief is time!) to set matters right—that is to say, as I suppose to apologize for the *Statesman*, to take things back for the *Statesman*, promise future good behavior for the *Statesman* and in general to make all things lovely (for the *Statesman*).

THE REPORTER RISES TO A QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE

The reporter for the OREGONIAN now rises to a question of privilege and begs leave to file an affidavit which certainly ought to be entirely satisfactory to the Senator from Lane, that *that* reporter has not since the beginning of the happy era when all departments of the State became Democratic furnished a line or word for publication in any paper in this world or any other except the OREGONIAN and *Bulletin* (and to the latter only legislative reports) that he is not nor has not been in any way responsible for any thing which has been or may appear in any other newspaper either as editorial local items, Legislative or court reports, criticisms, poetry, wit, miscellany, advertisements or typographical blunders. And he further begs leave to depose and say that so far as he can see with his unassisted optics he has nothing to do with setting matters right wherein the Senator from Lane and the *Statesman* editor are alone concerned. N. B. [illegible]

THE 500,000 ACRE GRANT AGAIN

There was a lively fight to-day over Mr Cochran's resolution instructing our Congressmen and Senators to secure if possible a law granting the assent of Congress to the diversion of the 500,000 acre grant of land to the school fund in accordance with the provisions of our constitution. The friends of the Sandy Dalles wagon road took the alarm and began skirmishing to either get the resolution in chancery or to postpone its consideration. The efforts to postpone failed but this afternoon a motion to refer to the Committee on Public Lands prevailed under the plea that it was desired to amend it so as to give instructions in regard to other grants—swamp and saline lands, etc. I hear that the friends of the Sandy Dalles road bill and some of the friends of the resolution came to an understanding during the noon recess to the effect that the resolution might be amended as desired, the Sandy Dalles road bill should be reconsidered and referred to the same committee and the committee should report it back amended so as to draw its appropriation money from the fund arising from the five per cent of the sales of public lands. I do not know how much truth there may be in this but the statement is probably correct, as one or two of the friends of the resolution were fixed up during the recess and voted this afternoon for the motion to refer. The Committee on Public Lands are Cochran, Hendershott and Pershbaker. The latter is not able to be in attendance so that the resolution has just an equal chance in the committee—Cochran for it and Hendershott against, or at least in favor of the Sandy Dalles road bill.

THE BENTON COUNTY CONTEST

This morning Mr Brown of Baker presented the majority report of the special committee to which was referred the Benton county contest. It was not read, but upon consulting its last page I find that it finds Strahan elected by 558 votes against 542 for Watham. Mr Brown of Marion stating that the minority report was not ready and that he could not complete it to-day, in consequence of the [illegible] being in the possession of the House, got the matter postponed. It will be the special order for to-morrow at half past ten A. M. The matter had been quietly sleeping till this general question of the school land came up. In one of the discussions on that subject Mr Trevitt said in substance that he wanted to postpone Mr Cochran's resolution because there were Senators here whose seats are contested and he wanted no action until the contests were decided so that the legally elected Senators should vote. This certainly looked as though the opponents of the resolution expected to gain an accession of votes by the result of the contest. Whether this was the consideration which called up the contests I am unable to say, inasmuch as I do not very regularly attend the Democratic caucuses. But it looks like it, don't it?

THE SENATE TAKES A [illegible]

Mr M[illegible]'s motion to amend the rule in relation to printing bills on the first reading did not at first show the cat under the meal, but that feline [illegible] is now distinctly visible to the naked eye. The rule prescribes that upon the first reading of a bill one hundred copies shall be printed. This makes fat for the printer—Patterson. Very nearly all the Democratic Senators sympathize with Mr Fay in his row with the *Herald* and are evidently quite willing to assist him in whatever reasonable contest he may wage with that paper. To-day when Mr Mosher's amendment which cuts off the printing of bills unless specially ordered was offered, Mr Fay said that he was in favor of economy in all things, and he thought the printing a good thing to begin [illegible] on. From this it would seem that the prime object of the amendment was to cut away a [illegible] the fatness which has heretofore made [illegible] Patterson [illegible]

[illegible] MATTERS

The [illegible] contest has been occupying the House for two days and the case is not yet submitted.

The passenger train on the [illegible] R. R. Railroad came up to the Fair ground this evening. The time for starting will hereafter be [illegible] A. M. and 4 P. M.

Mr Pershbaker, Senator from Coos and Curry, is lying at the point of death at the house of Mr [illegible] He was sick when he came here and has not [illegible] been in his seat more than twice since the session began.

I. A. O. D.—Regular meeting [illegible] This evening [illegible] week at [illegible] o'clock in [illegible] Members of [illegible] are requested [illegible] A. J. MARSHALL [illegible] L. J. [illegible] R. S.

G. A. R. Baker Post No. 1 [illegible] meetings first and third [illegible] day evenings of each [illegible] Hall [illegible] invited to attend. By order [illegible] POST COMMANDER.

Multnomah Tribe No. 3 I. O. R. M. [illegible] every Mon[illegible] day evening at the Eighth Run at Oregon Wigwam [illegible] building corner A[illegible] and F[illegible] Sts. [illegible] By order of THE SACHEM.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2 I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows' Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By [illegible] N. G.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15 I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows' Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Multnomah Lodge No. 18, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at [illegible] o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, SEPT 30, 1870

'Oppressive Taxation '

The following is one of the hackney [illegible] declarations that emanate from a certain class of newspapers and State Conventions

That the present internal revenue system of the United States is unendurable in its oppressive exactions

This statement has a falsehood for its foundation The internal revenue system has ceased to be "oppressive or unendurable" The repeal of excises by the late session of Congress has swept away almost every objectionable feature of the system With the exception of the excise on whisky and tobacco there is nothing left on which one Oregon Democrat in a thousand is called on to pay Nobody in favor of raising any internal revenue for the support of the Government wants the whisky or tobacco tax repealed The exemption under the income tax has been raised to $2,000 and the tax itself has been reduced from 5 to 2½ per cent. What other internal tax do they complain of as "oppressive" and "unendurable?" The license tax on trades, professions, and retailers is swept away, the taxes on watches, jewelry, plate, carriages, billiard tables, amusements, etc are all rescinded, the taxes on sales and manufactures are all removed, the tax on the gross receipts of railways, steamboats and common carriers ferries and bridges, is abolished, the tax on legacies, successions and property of heirs no longer exists What then is it that these Democratic grumblers complain of? We suppose the fact to be, they were not aware that all these internal revenue taxes had been repealed, and expected to make their fight against the system as it stood last year They ought occasionally, observes the Chicago *Tribune*, to read a Republican newspaper, and get correctly posted. If they want to win votes from the Republicans it cannot be done by opposing laws no longer on the statute book Last year's almanac is not good authority for this year's calendar

The Anti-Monopoly Democracy

And now again comes the *Herald* declaring that the Democratic party is the irreconcilable foe of every form of monopoly. So it is, by profession, before an election, but after an election it falls at once into the schemes of monopoly and devotes itself to the promotion of special interests which it had before been pretending to oppose. The *Herald* says

> **Here in Oregon the Democracy, true to the instincts and traditions of the party, has arrayed itself boldly against any and all monopolies that seek to control our politics, dictate our Senators, or shape our legislation They met and vanquished, in the last election, a moneyed monopoly, which, true to the law of gravitation, allied itself with the Radical party, constituting a junction of the forces of Gog and Magog, for the purpose of dictating the politics and legislation of the State. But now that it is vanquished, it is not left for us to be idle or to cease our vigilant outlook**

This will do very well, in view of the recency of the fact that the Democratic party in the last election made a fight against what it called a "monopoly and now accepts the very same measures and combats for the very same interests which it then contended against, elects a Senator pledged to the "monopoly" which it has all along been denouncing, and fights against every interest that can conflict with this "monopoly" and its demands. The Marysville (Cal.) *Appeal* well represents the facts in this case in the following remarks relative to the humiliating trade by which Kelly was made Senator.

> **Notwithstanding the clap-trap of the Democrats about "Railroad monopolies" and "soulless corporations" and their charges against the Republicans of being committed to the railroads, there is never a Democratic Legislature that is not owned by the railroad interests, body, soul and breeches. Our own Legislature last winter was a case in point, where they repudiated all of their pledges and threw themselves more completely into the arms of the Central Pacific than was ever before recorded of any similar body. We called attention on Wednesday to the course of the Oregon Legislature in having not only manifested an unwonted anxiety to eat railroad dirt, but also to endorse the Williams' amendment upon which they set up such a howl of virtuous indignation before election, and it now appears that Col. Kelly could not be elected United States Senator until he had sold himself to Ben Holladay.**

So the fame of this transaction has extended to California. The anti monopoly Democracy are "establishing a character" everywhere

A correspondent of the New York *Tribune* gives a general review of the political outlook in that State, and discusses singly the party prospects in each of the Congressional districts His general conclusion is that there is to be a republican majority in both Houses of the Legislature, and "and this will give us the power to re-district the State in 1870-1 for both Congress and the General Assembly, and place the State securely in the Republican phalanx for ten years to come."

The Democrats in the Legislature are making a tremendous raid on the school lands They want to appropriate the whole body of them for one purpose or another. So they stand ready to divert the lands from the purposes of education and give them to divers and sundry monopolie. In this way they propose still further to show their undying hostility to "monopoly" in all its forms

Senator Fay's invective against the "official organ the other day is said to have been remarkably caustic and severe The 'organ" is losing both the respect and support of its party.

SENATOR WILLIAMS —Referring to Senator Williams' defeat the *Sentinel* speaks thus Senator Williams has stood among the chief men of our nation for the past few years He represented one of the smallest constituencies on the floor of the Senate and had it not been that he possessed in himself the qualities of a great statesman and true patriot his position and influence would naturally have ranked him among the humblest members of that body. But these qualities gave him a national reputation and have enabled him to secure most efficiently the interests of the State he more particularly represented It is the glory of the Oregon Democracy to have elected a *successor* to such a man But if Col Kelly shall fail to receive the consideration, which Senator Williams has won for himself at the Capital, he must not feel offended thereat, and if the people of Oregon shall find the influence of their State diminish in the Senate and with the Administration, they can still console themselves with the idea that they have a Democratic United States Senator As for Kelly himself, he is not to be envied He will find himself with but little influence to promote the interests of the State he has been so anxious to represent And we predict that the people of this State, no matter how strong their admiration for the 'Col now will get sick of him when they find that he can do nothing for them

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The recent proclamation of Governor Shaffer, at Salt Lake City, creates considerable discussion in that city The probabilities are that the proclamation will prevent the annual muster of the Mormon militia for Nov 1st. The Mormons intimate that they will contest the legality of the Governor's appointment of a Major General and an Adjutant General of Militia, which they claim the Territorial laws provide for by election, and that the only officers he is authorized to appoint are those on his own staff.

The population of Knoxville, Tenn , is 8 602

PACIFIC COAST DISPATCHES.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE [illegible]]

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO Sept 29 —The famous U S war steamer *Kearsarge* which sunk the *Alabama* arrived in port this afternoon from Callao via Honolulu under command of Commander John S Thornton Captain Winslow being now at Mare Island she will go up to Mare Island for some repairs and overhauling before going to sea again

A German Savings and building Society for securing homesteads is being organized here

The Red Men's Savings Bank opens October 1st

Stocks continue active but weak

The passengers per steamer *Colorado*, hence on the 3d inst , arrived at New York yesterday

The weather continues warm and cloudy A smart shower fell in Marin county this evening

Arrived—Bark *Alexandria* from Anton, Peru with sugar

Yesterday an order was received from the Navy Department recalling Commodore Parrott and reinstating Commodore Goldsborough as commandant of the Mare Island navy yard

INTERIOR CALIFORNIA DISPATCHES.

Stockton Dispatch.

STOCKTON Sept 29 —An unoccupied house situated on San Joaquin street, near Fremont Square, owned by the heirs of Samuel Ferguson, was entirely destroyed by fire last evening Loss estimated at $1,000 The fire was the work of an incendiary

From Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Sept 29 —Joseph White, who was shot by Edward Cage at San Gabriel Mission on Sunday last, has since died from the effects of his wounds

Volcanic Eruption

SAN DIEGO Sept 29 —A party of Mexicans who arrived from Lower California report that an extensive volcano about ten miles from San Rafael valley which has for some years been dormant, has once more broken out in violent eruption, throwing a column of dense, black smoke two hundred feet high, and scattering ashes and cinders for miles around its base It is plainly visible from this point with the eye The whole southern horizon is darkened with the smoke.

San Diego Dispatch

SAN DIEGO, Sept 29 —$200 were raised to day for the improvement of roads in this county

It is rumored that the Trans Continental Railroad Company have commenced active operations on their road

Two nuggets of gold from San Rafael weighing $50 were brought in to day.

Some horse thieves ran off three horses, two of them quite valuable, belonging to Don Juan Abila

Transportation has been furnished for 285 troops, who will arrive here early in October and proceed to Arizona.

Five tons of ore from the Montezuma mines, Julian District, yielded $10 per ton at a recent assay. The District is reported in a flourishing condition, and a large amount of ore is awaiting reduction

NEW MEXICO.

Rich Silver Mines Discovered

SAN DIEGO, Sept 29 —A special correspondence, dated Ralston New Mexico Sept 14th, says A prospecting party has just returned and report rich discoveries of silver and gold quartz on the Chiricahua mountains, about twenty miles south of Apache Pass The rock assays as high as $1,600 per ton, In some specimens exhibited pure native silver can be seen In several gulches placer diggings have been found which pay thirty cents to the quart of dirt.

NEVADA.

BATTLE MOUNTAIN, Sept 29 — The Battle Mountain Mining Co shipped yesterday 28,067 pounds of ore to Liverpool The White Pine Mining Co also shipped 10,655 pounds of galena ore to San Francisco.

VIRGINIA, Sept. 29 —Wm Beard, engineer of the Virginia Consolidated Works, had his lower jaw broken on the right side last evening

Barney Cosgrove, a rough of San Francisco, passed through here yesterday on his way to State prison, under sentence for life.

George Cassedy issues a daily Democratic paper next week at Hamilton, White Pine

MONTANA

Suicide of Comstock.

HELENA, Sept 29 —Henry P Comstock, prospector and discoverer of the famous Comstock silver lode of Nevada, committed suicide on the 27th inst , near Bozeman City, by shooting himself in the head with a revolver He accompanied the Big Horn expedition to Bozeman, and it is supposed that while laboring under temporary aberration of mind he committed the act.

Lost in the Mountains.

Twenty days have elapsed since Hon. Truman C Everest, the U. S Assessor, was lost from the Yellowstone expedition in the dense forests on the south side of the lake Although diligent search has been made, no trace of the unfortunate man has yet been discovered

WASHINGTON TERRITORY

Clarke County Fair.

VANCOUVER, Sept 29.—Two races came off at the fair ground The first race, two horses, single dash of a mile for a purse of fifty dollars, was won by Spurgeon's horse. The second race, two horses, one mile, two best in three, for a purse of seventy five dollars, was won by Spurgeon's horse.

Governor Salomon spoke at the pavilion this afternoon to a large audience

Two more races to morrow

A Standing Joke.

The Marysville, (Cal ,) *Appeal* gets off the following good thing ,

It will be seen by our telegraphic reports of the proceedings of the Oregon Legislature, yesterday, that their Chinese bill is being treated pretty much after the fashion that all Anti Chinese bills were treated by our own Democratic Legislature Amis, who appears to be the McMillan of that body, probably thought in the guileless simplicity of his rural nature, that the Democratic party of Oregon meant what it said in regard to the Chinese question, and that inasmuch as Governor Grover's inaugural address was particularly devoted to the "heathen Chinese," that the party expected prompt and extreme measures against them Accordingly he introduced a bill providing for just such hostile legislation as had been promised in every speech that was made by every Democrat in Oregon throughout the campaign The bill proposed to impose such onerous taxes upon them as would prevent their visiting Oregon, and would compel those already there to speedily take their departure The result of the attempt of this honest Democrat to secure a fulfilment of the pledges made by his party is told in our dispatches Various amendments were introduced by way of ridicule and finally an obnoxious one was laid on the table which, of course carried the bill with it A motion to reconsider was denied and the Speaker pronounced the bill beyond the reach of any motion whatever In the midst of this laughable tangle the House adjourned It was no doubt grand sport for the Legislators and it must have been extremely funny to the unwashed spectators in the galleries, who had been defrauded of their votes by the promises of these same men, made before the election but never intended to be kept We wonder how long the rabid anti-coolieists will continue to regard the Democratic party as sound on the Chinese question They must be stupid indeed if they continue to allow themselves to be gulled by the Democracy after these repeated instances of their bad faith The Democrats appear to regard this Chinese question as a standing joke, upon which they ride into office, and then ridicule the poor dupes who were fools enough to believe them honest

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If the guillotine had come in with the revolution in France, Gen Leb euf would have had a fair chance of being one of the first to give it employment The ex Foreign Minister, the Duc de Grammont, declares that Lebœuf over and over again assured him that the army "was ready " The Emperor had great confidence in this man, and thoroughly believed his statement that there was 800 000 efficient men on the rolls of the army To this Minister, France owes in no small degree her recent disasters. The question will suggest itself to many minds whether, after all he was not one of the innumerable agents of Count Bismarck, who seem to have been judiciously distributed throughout every circle of French society ?

WAR MISCELLANY

An instance of the blind enthusiasm animating the German troops is the answer which a German soldier gave to a reporter who asked him how many of the enemy's guns he had seen taken "We have seen nothing, all we could think of was to press ahead"

The first five mitrailleuses were captured by the ninth and eleventh companies of the eighty second Hesse an infantry at the battle of Woerth which companies were led to the charge by Lieutenant Hohne, after all other superior officers had fallen He was immediately promoted to a Captaincy on the field of battle

A German journal rather savagely says that the first Napoleon was a lion savage and blood thirsty, but still a lion and the jackal in possession of the remnants of his repast has believed himself his equal the first Napoleon was a devouring flame and the third of that name a flaring meteor, the product of unwholesome decomposition "

The other day when the battery in the Victoria Gardens, at Berlin, was celebrating the German victories by a salute of 100 guns, a short pause ensued between the firing Well, well are they going to go on soon?" asked an impatient citizen "if they do not hurry up they will be behind and another victory will have to be saluted before they get through with this one

Poor Napoleon ! how he must suffer in his lonely and rigorous captivity He had only the paltry number of sixteen officers and forty servants left him at first, but the "brutal king William" has now allowed him in addition the common necessaries of a chief cook, chamberlin and retinue of servants from Berlin It is possible, therefore, that he may be able to eke out a tolerable existence

CURRENT NOTES

It is estimated that the gubernatorial mansion at Sacramento will cost $72,000 according to the plans exhibited The Legislature appropriated $50,000 of which $14 000 have been expended in the purchase of a site

The Chicago *Times* as the organ of the Democracy, is inconsolable over the capture of Napoleon, and the fate of his Empire Hear it Despotic Prussia has struck down a freer Government than its own It has done this in the name of Germany, but it has done it really to secure its own aggrandizement Let France wait, for the day of revenge will come.

If all the humors of the census could be gathered into a volume, it would afford the liveliest sort of reading. We see it stated that in Indiana the enumerator discovered a young lady who was happy in the name of Jane Juliette Isalina Araminta Musadora Peeks. How solemn that name will look on a tombstone ! In Ohio, a family was found where the first son was named Imprimis, the second, Finis, and the three others Appendix, Addendum, and Erratum !

The unfinished novel of Charles Dickens is published in book form in London, with the following introductory notes "All that was left of Edwin Drood is here published Its last entire page had not been written two hours when the event occurred which one very touching passage in it (grave and sad, but also cheerful and reassuring) might seem almost to have anticipated The only notes in reference to the story that have since been found, concern that portion of it exclusively which is treated in the earlier numbers Beyond the clews therein afforded to its conduct or catastrophe nothing whatever remains, and it is believed that what the writer would himself have most desired is done in placing before the reader, without further note or suggestion the fragment of The Mystery of Edwin Drood "

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Funeral services at the M E Church Friday at 2 o clock P M

NEW TO-DAY.

Eighth Street

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland until 12 o clock M Tuesday, October 4 1870 for the improvement of Eighth street between Stark and Jefferson streets, in the manner provided by Ordinance No 834

Bids must state opposite the number of each block the price per cubic yard for excavation and embankment the price per lineal foot for sidewalks, crosswalks and plank gutters

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders properly verified in the sum of five hundred dollars to the effect that if the [illegible] be awarded to such bidder he will upon its being so awarded, enter into a contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved

D C LEWIS

WM CREE

JOHN M BRECK

s30td Committee on Streets and Public Property

Office of the Puget Sound Homestead Association.

NOTICE —SALE OF HOMESTEAD STOCK —NOTICE is hereby given that I will sell at noon on Monday Oct 30, 1870 at the office of Russell & Ferry in the city of Portland county of Multnomah and State of Oregon to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following Shares of the Capital Stock of the Puget Sound Homestead Association installments of which are delinquent as follows

Name	No of Shares	No of Installments Delinquent	[illegible]
Alexander W F	1	4	[illegible]
Brownwell J[illegible]	1	3	[illegible]
Farris Mrs R[illegible]	1	4	[illegible]
Glide Wm	1	4	[illegible]
Guthrie A	1	1	[illegible]
Stashamer H	1	4	[illegible]
Smith Cyrus	1	4	[illegible]
Thburn H B	1	4	15
Washburn B W	1	4	44
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[illegible]IDAY MORNING [illegible] 1870

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HEARD FROM —Mr and Mrs Henry Saxer and Mr C A Burchardt of this city, are still travelling in Europe A letter has been received by Sheriff Bills from Mr Saxer, dated at Lousberg, Aug 27th 1870 He was then in Bath, Jarnigel, where he and Mrs Saxer were taking a regular course of bathing and water drinking for their health He says the water is not very savory to the smell, nor delightful to the taste, but he is called to drink eight glasses, and Mrs Saxer [illegible], every morning before breakfast. Henry thinks it is a long time since he drank more water every day than wine When he should get through this watery task he intended to take a trip to the Alps, and then into Italy, where he has a brother in the foundry business Mr Burchardt had spent several weeks with them in Switzerland, and would also make the trip through the Alps and possibly into Italy He thinks that Mr Burchardt will certainly return to Portland this fall Mrs Saxer although treated with the utmost love and kindness still clings to Portland as her home and cannot very well content herself in Europe

IMMIGRATION.—Another forerunner of the immigration that is to fill our State came to us yesterday in the arrival of Mr. Wm Bond, of Erie county, Pa who has come on here to purchase thirty thousand acres of Oregon lands, upon which about fifty regular old sturdy Dutch Pennsylvania farmers with their families, intend to settle. This is great and good evidence of the progress of the State Mr William Davidson, the well known real estate agent, deserves credit for having induced these good people to immigrate to this point, as he had sent his circulars and papers, with information of this State, to them, long ago. Not only that, but he has been in constant communication with numerous other parties in that State. We welcome Mr Bond, and we hope that sufficient inducements will be held out to him and those he represents and that we may gain so desirable a class of farmers There is ample room for them all, and the State need them.

"LANCASHIRE LASS "—No play was ever put upon the stage in Portland, and performed better than the drama entitled as above, which for two nights past has been produced at Oro Fino Theater We say this, and it is not said thoughtlessly, or without a due regard for the truth. Whole Pixley's [illegible] is seldom ever better anywhere and Miss Hinckley's personation of [illegible] was excellent. Bates' 'Party by the name of Johnson' 'Vincent' 'Jalleck,' and indeed the entire support of the lively worthy little troupe, would be hard to beat. We trust Miss Hinckley will meet with a good house this evening She is deserving of it

A SUGGESTION Should the Young Men's Christian Association of this city make preparations for a course of lectures during the coming winter, we are not sure but that the suggestion of the *Pacific* to the San Francisco Association would be an advantage The proposition would be to arrange a course wherein the pastors of our own city would alternate in giving a weekly discourse on the Evidences of Christianity, and other kindred topics If the lectures were so arranged as to meet the more popular skeptical objections, good audiences would be drawn together, and we should expect the best results

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THE TUG [illegible] —The tug boat *Astoria* Capt [illegible] arrived at noon to day bringing in tow the bark *Almor* [illegible] She will have her "horsepipes" changed and her decks caulked before returning to the Columbia river bar which will take at least three or four days In the meantime the pilot boat *Col for* [illegible] now on the lookout on the bar

WALLAMET VALLEY RAILROAD.—A correspondent at Forest Grove informs us that the surveyors have very busy engaged on the route from Hillsboro where this was completed they would start for Astoria

POLICE COURT —Yesterday Sam Vowells paid a fine of $[illegible] and costs for an assault on Wm Wai[illegible] James Smith was sent to jail for five days in default of payment of a fine for assault and battery J W Funk did [illegible] was discharged with a reprimand

RAIL [illegible] [illegible] Mr Hart's grading force were [illegible] yesterday and will commence work of the grade [illegible] Oregon and California Railroad south of Albany this morning This looks like pushing [illegible] Eugene City rather speedily

BENEFIT This evening at Oro Fino Theatre Miss Sallie [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] will take a benefit They are her last appearance but one The Marble Heart has been selected for [illegible] performance

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

THE CHURCH [illegible] The new Congregational church on [illegible] street is advancing [illegible] [illegible] of progress to ward completion The [illegible] will be beautiful and symmetrical [illegible]

A [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

EASTERN [illegible] [illegible] who intend going to the Atlantic States from Oregon can save money and more will be better accommodated by purchasing their tickets [illegible] Portland [illegible] Wells [illegible] Agent

RAIN —Forty drops of rain fell [illegible] this evening The sun was shining brightly at the same time

The Daily Oregonian.

DAY MORNING, SEPT. 30, 1870.

CITY.

STATE FAIRS.—The season for annual State and county fairs has arrived, and great preparations have been made to make them attractive, and they are a hopeful omen of good to the country, by the stimulant they give to diversified productions of superior merit. They bring together the agricultural and industrial products of State and county, and enable a comparison to be instituted, from year to year, to determine the measure of progress and advancement. The articles shown there, too, are not the flimsy work of foreign fabrication, but the plain home productions of the people. Premiums, often liberal in amount, are offered to encourage and increase these annual exhibitions of articles of home labor, in all its departments, and it is the experience of the country that these fairs are a positive benefit. Such being the case, why is a general policy, like that embodied in a protective tariff, applicable to the whole country, for the development of its industry, so roundly denounced? To be sure, no public premiums are offered; yet, the broad and general principle is the same in both cases. Home labor and home interests are the object sought to be promoted; and why should they not be? The man who makes two blades of grass grow where but one grew before, is held to be a benefactor of his race. Why is this not equally true of home industry, in its every detail?

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[illegible] FROM.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Saxer and Mr. C. A. Burchardt, of this city, are still traveling in Europe. A letter has been received by [illegible] from Mr. Saxer, dated at Lenzburg, Aug. 27th, 1870. He was then in Bath, Jarnigel, and he and Mrs. Saxer were taking a regular course of bathing and water drinking for their health. He says the water is not very savory to taste, nor delightful to the taste, but he is compelled to drink eight glasses, and Mrs. Saxer [illegible] every morning before breakfast. Henry [illegible] a long time since he drank more water in one day than wine. When he should get through this watery task he intended to take a trip to the Alps, and then into Italy, where he [illegible] in the foundry business. Mr. Burchardt had spent several weeks with them in Switzerland, and would also make the trip over the Alps, and possibly into Italy. He [illegible] that Mr. Burchardt will certainly return to Portland this fall. Mrs. Saxer, although treated with the utmost love and kindness, still clings to Portland as her home, and cannot very well content herself in Europe.

IMMIGRATION.—Another forerunner of the immigration that is to fill our State came to us yesterday in the arrival of Mr. Wm. Bond, of Erie county, Pa., who has come on here to purchase [illegible] acres of Oregon lands, upon which [illegible] old sturdy Dutch Pennsylvanians, with their families, intend to settle. This is another good evidence of the progress of the State. Mr. William Davidson, the well-known real estate agent, deserves credit for having induced these good people to immigrate to Oregon, as he had sent his circulars and papers, descriptive of this State, to them, long ago. [illegible] has been in constant communication with numerous other parties in that [illegible] as Mr. Bond, and we hope that [illegible] inducements will be held out to him and his representatives, and that we may gain so valuable a class of farmers. There is ample room for them all, and the State need them.

"LANCASHIRE LASS."—No play was ever put upon the stage in Portland, and performed better than the drama entitled as above, which for two nights past has been produced at Oro Fino Theatre. We say this, and it is not said thoughtlessly or without a due regard for the truth. Mr. [illegible]'s "Spotty" is seldom ever better rendered; and Miss Hinckley's personation of [illegible] was excellent. Bates' "Party by the name of Johnson," Vinson's "Jelleck," and indeed the entire support of the lively, worthy drama, would be hard to beat. We trust Miss Hinckley will meet with a good house this evening. She is deserving of it.

LECTURES.—Should the Young Men's Christian Association of this city make preparations for a course of lectures during the coming winter, we are not sure but that the suggestion of [illegible], to the San Francisco Association [illegible] to advantage. The proposition would [illegible] a course wherein the pastors of our churches would alternate in giving a weekly discourse on the Evidences of Christianity, and kindred topics. If the lectures were so arranged as to meet the more popular skeptical objections, good audiences would be drawn together, and we should expect the best results.

REAL ESTATE SALE.—Messrs. Russell & Ferry will sell at auction this morning real estate situated in East Portland, also in Washington Territory. The property offered situated in [illegible] Territory, promises great returns to purchasers. Investors will do well to attend. One share of the Portland Homestead [illegible] will also be sold. See advertisement.

[illegible] IN PORT.—The tug boat *Astoria* Capt. [illegible] arrived at noon to-day, bringing in tow the [illegible]. She will have her "horsepipes" [illegible] and her decks calked before returning to the Columbia river bar, which will take at least four days. In the meantime the pilot boat California is now on the lookout on the bar.

WALLAMET VALLEY RAILROAD.—A correspondent at Forest Grove informs us that the surveyors of the Wallamet Valley Railroad are very busily engaged on the route from [illegible]. When this was completed they would [illegible] Astoria.

POLICE COURT.—Yesterday Sam Vowells paid [illegible] $5 and costs for an assault on Wm. Wal[illegible]. James Smith was sent to jail for five days, in default of payment of a fine for assault and battery. J. W. Funk, d. d., was discharged with a reprimand.

RAILROAD PROGRESS.—Mr. Hart's grading party commenced moving yesterday, and will commence work on the grade of the Oregon and California Railroad south of Albany this morning. This [illegible] pushing on for Eugene City rather [illegible].

BENEFIT.—This evening at Oro Fino Theatre Miss Sallie Hinckley, the accomplished and popular actress, will take a benefit. This will be her [illegible] appearance but one. "The Marble Heart" has been selected for this night's performance.

YOUNG YOUTH IN LIMBO.—A colored boy named Wm. Brown was arrested last night and will make his appearance this forenoon, to answer to the charge of assault and battery committed on a white boy named Ebinger.

THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—The new Congregational Church edifice, on Jefferson street, is progressing with a good degree of progress towards completion. The edifice will have a tall and symmetrical spire.

ACCIDENT.—A young man named Newell met with an accident at the steam saw mill of Messrs. [illegible] & Stimson yesterday, which took off two fingers of the right hand, while working around a planing machine.

EASTERN FAIRS.—Persons who contemplate a visit to the Atlantic States from Oregon, can save money and meet with better accommodation, by purchasing their tickets in Portland of B. [illegible], Agent.

RAIN.—Forty drops of rain fell from a cloud as it passed over the southwestern part of this city this morning. The sun was shining brightly at the same time.

BRIEF MENTION.—McLoran Bros. City Mills and Vaughn's Mills are now [illegible] ten hours and will soon be compelled to run night and day.

The *Almatia* discharged fifteen tons of freight at Astoria.

Harrington's cider works will be in operation next week.

Smith & Davis' new store house on Front street is about ready to be occupied.

The foundation walls for the O. S. N. Co.'s new brick are now about completed.

The cementing on the outside finish of the Taylor street M. E. Church was completed yesterday.

The *[illegible]* arrived with a cargo, and loaded flatboat in tow, from the St. Helen's Lumbering Co.'s mills.

The papers in the Sheriff's office, to be served in the late new suits by the Lownsdale heirs, were all served last evening.

The crossings at the intersection of nearly all streets in this city ought to be cleaned up under the ordinance providing for street cleaning—before the rainy season sets in.

The celebrated horse "Greyhound," which won the Queen's Plate at Victoria, last June, is now in this city, training for the races at the Washington County and State Fairs.

Three "Pioneers" who have sold out, to go-ahead farmers from the Atlantic side, leave for Eastern Oregon to-day with their families. They will Pioneer up there a few years.

Hornung's ice machine, purchased in Europe, is now at sea, and is expected to arrive in December next. Udorgo will give it a cool reception if it don't come by that time.

Surface drainage can never be made to work in this city with the present system of grades. Sooner or later deep sewers must be put down. At least twenty places may be named in the city where the stench from private sewers is utterly unbearable to sensitive nerves.

DISAPPOINTED.—A trio of covies on the "make" with their little dice game of "now you see it and now you don't," recently went up to Walla Walla from here, and we understand they have made a very handsome little raise. An old man of fifty years paid their way to the Dalles from Portland. He was "disappointed" when he was taken in by them. On their return to the Dalles they set up their institution at the grounds of the Wasco County Fair. But things don't always turn out as we expect. Their modest little shop and fixens, from which they expected to gain a few days' livelihood, was spotted—that is to say, it wasn't like a leopard, so to speak—but the Dalles authorities have such taking ways of their own that they induced these worthies to give up their little speculation or accept a three months' situation at a public institution maintained by the people. The advice was heeded, and yesterday the parties moved on down to Vancouver, where they are to-day, prepared to learn green 'uns a few of the kinks of metropolitan life, as pursued by cosmopolites.

EVENING SESSIONS of the National Business College will begin Monday, Oct. 3d. The full course may be obtained by attending evenings only, thus affording an opportunity to any who wish to avail themselves of its advantages, and who may not be able to do so during the day session.

AFTERNOON SESSION.—The Bill of Beck & Waldman passed the Senate and will go through every house, that they have the best stock of Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods which will be sold cheaper than that of any other house. Call and judge for yourself.

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THE OREGON LEGISLATURE.

Sixth Biennial Session

SENATE—Afternoon Session

SALEM, Wednesday, Sept. 28th.

THE BENTON COUNTY CONTEST.

Mr. Brown, of Marion, asked till to-morrow morning to prepare his minority report on the Benton county contest. The papers were still in the House, and he could not possibly make his report till he could have the documents.

Mr. Burch moved to make the Benton county contest the special order for 10 A. M. to-morrow, which prevailed.

RESOLUTIONS AND MOTIONS.

The President called Mr. Burch to the chair.

Mr. Fay moved to refer S. J. R. No. 12, instructing our Senators and Representatives in regard to the diversion of the internal improvement grant to the use of schools, to a special committee. He stated that his object was to get the resolution amended so as to instruct our Senators and Representatives to ask Congress for an extension of time and means to secure the lapsed grants. He did not move the reference through any hostility to the resolution. He explained that the grant of salt springs and accompanying sections of land had been lost to the State through failure to locate them. He wanted also to amend the instructions so as to secure the vacation of the location of certain portions of the 500,000 acres for internal improvements which had been laid by the Governor upon swamp lands in Union county; also to amend so as to secure the swamp land grant which had not been secured by location. He asked the reference for these purposes, and believed that if the proposed amendments be adopted there would be no opposition to the resolution in the Senate.

Mr. Cochran thought that since the adjournment this morning there had been sufficient time for Senators to prepare any amendments they might desire to affix to the resolution. He did not know what might be the purposes sought in this reference, and thought he would not impute bad motives. He feared that the resolution might come back loaded down. In regard to the various grants mentioned by the gentleman from Jackson he would like to make some inquiries. What did Congress mean by "salt springs?" What constitutes a salt spring? Where are the salt springs of Oregon? He never had known of more than one or two or three. He apprehended that the loss of the salt springs grant had occurred through the lack of salt springs rather than from any other cause. He did not understand the matter about the Union county lands, but was afraid the whole matter, if referred, might get into wrong channels. If the reference was made he wanted it understood that the committee should report the resolution back at some particular time. He wanted fair dealing, and did not want one thing to depend on another. His purpose was to act right.

Mr. Fay had no hostility to the resolution. If the amendments he had suggested were adopted, he would cheerfully vote for the resolution. In answer to the queries of the gentleman from Lane, he would say that there are salt springs in the State, and it was important they should be recovered. All proper means should be used to save that grant. The Governor had located in Union county 40,000 acres as a part of the 500,000 acres for internal improvements, upon swamp lands. The internal improvement grant and the swamp land grant are distinct grants. The location of the 40,000 acres in Union county would therefore be lost in one grant or the other, unless the location be vacated. The swamp lands granted to the State by Congress have not been located. There are such lands near Klamath Lake and in Union county, along the whole extent of the Oregon coast, and in various other places. Unless some action be taken these lands will be lost to the State.

Mr. Stout moved to amend so as to refer the resolution to the Committee on Public Lands.

Mr. Fay accepted the amendment.

Mr. Stout thought if we are going to act at all in regard to any land grant, we should include all the grants mentioned or about which there is any doubt; was willing to see the diversion in favor of the school fund, but he would say that if any of the 500,000 acre grant is to be used for internal improvement, then as the representative of local as well as general interests, he should favor such proposition as the one under consideration yesterday.

Mr. Watts opposed the reference. If gentlemen by such measures sought to delay action in order that, as intimated by the gentleman from Wasco, definite action should not take place till certain Senators shall be ousted and contestants be admitted to vote upon these school land questions, then he desired to record his vote to save the school fund before he should be kicked out.

Mr. Trevitt interrupted to correct the gentleman's quotation of his language. What he had said was that there were Senators here whose seats are contested, and he wished to delay action until it should be determined who is rightfully entitled to the seats, so that the legally elected Senators might vote.

Mr. Watts wanted to adopt the resolution, in order that all doubts may be removed in regard to the purposes for which the 500,000 acres may be used.

Mr. Baldwin said that gentlemen reasoned from wrong premises, they talk as though the 500,000 acres had been diverted to the school fund. No lawyer, however, will risk his reputation upon the assertion that the grant had been so diverted. If so, what use for the resolution? We cannot and dare not use the grant for school purposes. It was given for internal improvement and cannot be used for anything else. He thought we had better give instructions in regard to all the grants in one resolution.

Mr. Cochran said a new question had been raised and he could not get his own consent to vote upon that or any other without fully understanding it; some Senators here seemed to think they know all about what they are doing and to imagine that other Senators do not. He believed that Senators present could give all the requisite information in regard to all the matters in question. He would like to have the gentleman give him some information in regard to the saline lands.

Mr. Stout—That is the object of the reference; the committee can obtain the information desired and present it to the Senate.

Mr. Cochran still urged that Senators without the reference could give him the desired information. He would like to hear from them.

Mr. Hendershott, in his seat, proceeded to explain about the lands in Union county, substantially as Mr. Fay had done.

Mr. Cornelius said the resolution contains but one plain proposition, that being to secure the 500,000 acres grant to the school fund. In view of the importance of that proposition he was opposed to encumbering it with additional propositions. He would, however, be willing to instruct by a subsequent resolution in regard to the other propositions. He referred to Mr. Watts' construction of Mr. Trevitt's language in reference to delaying the resolution till contestants could be admitted to seats, and said that he thought there might be something in it.

The vote being taken on the motion to refer the resolution to the Committee on Public Lands—those who voted yea were Messrs. Baldwin, Brown of Baker, Burch, Hendershott, Holsclaw, Hunt, Lieuallen, Mosher, Stout, Thompson, Trevitt and the President—12. All the other nine voted against. So the resolution was referred.

AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES.

Messrs. Fay and Stout offered amendments to the rules which were referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs. Mosher, Trevitt and Cornelius.

The bill to provide for the election of Supreme and Circuit Judges in separate classes was read the first time.

The Senate then adjourned.

HOUSE—Morning Session.

SALEM, Wednesday, Sept. 28, 1870

The House met at the usual hour, the Speaker in the Chair, and all the members present except Mr. Carson.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Waller.

The Journal was read and approved.

THE BENTON COUNTY CASE.

Mr. Helm moved to suspend the regular order of business and proceed with the contested case.

The motion prevailed.

Hon. F. A. Chenoweth in opening for the sitting members, remarked that he felt more than usual diffidence in approaching the consideration of this case. He asked those members who had already made up their minds in regard to the rights of the parties, if there were any such, to consider carefully the facts he would present, believing if they would do so they would come to a conclusion in favor of the sitting members. He was prepared to say that from the racy, galloping manner in which the evidence had been gone through with by Mr. Strahan, no general idea of the real facts could be obtained. The testimony as he had given it was not the true testimony, but a compilation of the points of the evidence made by counsel for the contestants, a partial and garbled statement of the evidence. He did not suppose that the motives of the counsel were anything but pure, but he believed he had been influenced by his eagerness to serve his clients. Objection had been made to hearing the testimony on account of its great volume; it had been said that five hours would be required to hear the evidence, this he believed to be an exaggeration; but even if it were twenty, that fact should not be made a pretext for unseating the sitting members and putting in the contestants. Such action would be based upon queer logic, strange justice. The members now holding the seats are not responsible for the great amount of testimony. They believe they received a handsome majority of votes in the county, and it is their duty to use all proper means to sustain themselves. He quoted that part of the report made by the majority of the special committee appointed to consider the case, which says your committee believe from the evidence in this case that strong efforts were made to colonize or import voters into said county of Benton in order to carry therein the late election and that various members of the Republican party in Benton county, acting conjointly with persons in Linn and other counties, engaged in such schemes in utter defiance of law, and total disregard of the purity of the ballot box and the benefits of free elections. Relative to this charge, he said he had read every word of all the testimony, and some of it several times, and could say there was not a syllable of evidence upon which to found such a statement. He pronounced it utterly gratuitous and unfounded, except upon rumors outside of the depositions. The fact would show that there had been much interest manifested by both parties on the result of the election. So far as the testimony goes, he said it proves that some Democrats did colonize a few individuals and voters, but it does not show that the Republicans imported votes. He said a great deal of the testimony presented is merely hearsay evidence. Much of it hearsay evidence relative to persons who might have been called. It is therefore unworthy of consideration. He recognized it as a grave thing to occupy much of the time of the House with such trifling testimony, but his clients were not responsible for the character of the testimony and he felt it his duty to read the depositions in full and not garble garbled extracts from them so that the House might come to an impartial conclusion. Mr. Chenoweth then proceeded to read the evidence upon which a majority of the special committee had reported in favor of rejecting certain votes.

Mr. Alexander in the chair.

Mr. Davenport—I suggest that the matter might be simplified by allowing the counsel to agree upon certain names to be tested by the evidence.

Mr. Helm—I do not wish to see gentlemen dodging the question now that the trial has begun. I hope the counsel may be allowed to go on as they choose.

Mr. Davenport—I simply made the suggestion that all unnecessary matters might be left out, so that the time of the House may be as little consumed by the trial as practicable.

The Speaker—The suggestion is a good one, but the course of the proceedings has already been prescribed by the House.

Mr. O'Regan—I think there should be a full and fair investigation.

Mr. Helm—I think the gentleman from Multnomah is correct. The gentleman from Marion (Mr. Davenport) has heard the tirade of abuse from the counsel against the majority of the special committee, and he is probably prepared to vote. I hope now to see this case thoroughly tried and all the evidence presented.

Mr. Hare—I desire to say a word in reply to the gentleman from Linn (Mr. Helm). We do not want anything short of a fair trial. We of the minority have no desire to drive anything in this case.

Mr. Chenoweth proceeded with the case. He had been misunderstood by Mr. Helm as abusing the majority of the special committee. He disclaimed any such intention, because he had arrived at a conclusion different from that of the committee it was no evidence of his design to abuse the committee. He then proceeded to read depositions relative to the case. One of the deponents, Martin Williams, in reply to a question asked by the counsel for the contestant, states that he heard Judge A. J. Thayer say that he had paid for the [illegible] of three men himself.

Mr. Chenoweth said he had read this deposition simply as a part of the evidence and not for the purpose of attacking the reputation of Judge Thayer. [illegible] that [illegible] had been engaged in the same business which the majority of the special committee had so loudly charged against members of the Republican party.

Mr. Ames—I rise to a point of order. I hold that the gentleman [illegible] Justice [illegible]. He is attacking the character of Judge Thayer [illegible] evidence.

Mr. Chenoweth—I will state that the gentleman misunderstood me. I was speaking of the evidence and the report of the special committee.

Mr. Strahan—In justice to Judge Thayer I would explain the fact that there were three men [illegible] Benton county to vote. Some men with whom they were boarding claimed that they had incurred some expenses, and Judge Thayer paid $3 and sent the men out of the county, because we did not want such votes in the county. [Laughter.]

Mr. Chenoweth—I am glad the gentleman is helping me [illegible]. I am happy to learn of [illegible] such extraordinary [illegible] as to sacrifice so many dollars for the purpose of saving the county from the disgrace of having those three Republican votes cast within it.

Mr. Ames—I call the gentleman to order. Judge Thayer's character is not at all in issue.

The Speaker—The counsel is simply commenting upon the testimony. The counsel has a right to question the motives of witnesses.

Mr. Helm—I hope no Democrat will object to such a procedure. Judge Thayer has no anxiety for his reputation in this regard.

Mr. Chenoweth continued with the testimony until 12 o'clock M., when he gave way to a motion to adjourn.

Afternoon Session.

The House met at 2 o'clock P. M., Speaker Hayden in the Chair, and resumed the consideration of the

THE BENTON COUNTY CONTESTED ELECTION CASE.

Mr. Chenoweth occupied the entire afternoon in reading the depositions and commenting upon the same.

He claimed that of the votes cast for the contestant, 150 were illegal, on account of non-residence, except one who was a minor; that of 32 votes alleged to have been illegally cast for the sitting members, 29 were legal, and three did not vote at all, and that of the six votes alleged to have been illegally rejected, all were students of the Corvallis College, residents of other counties, and therefore disqualified by Section 4 of Article 11 of the Constitution of Oregon. The actual vote cast for the candidates is as follows: W. J. Kelly (sitting member,) 580; W. J. Dunn, (sitting member), 575; W. R. Calloway, (contestant), 546, and D. Carlyle, 543. Kelly's majority, 34; Dunn's majority, 32.

At 4 o'clock, P. M., Mr. Hare moved a call of the House and Messrs. Carson, Davenport, Helm, Holman, Lockhart, McCoy, Olney, Ostrander, Quimby, Whalley and Waldron failed to answer.

Mr. Alexander moved to dispense with the further call of the House, and on motion of Mr. Alexander the House adjourned until 9 o'clock A. M., to-morrow.

SENATE—Morning Session.

SALEM, Thursday, Sept. 29.

The Senate was called to order by the President.

Absent, Messrs. Patterson and Pershbaker.

Mr. Cochran rose to a question of privilege. He said that as the *Daily Oregon Statesman* had used disrespectful language in regard to him, and had failed to make reparation, he wished to have it entered upon the journal that he had discontinued taking that paper. He gave notice also that he did not want the paper left at his boarding house.

The President said that he thought matters of this kind were not proper to be entered on the journal.

Mr. Stout moved that Mr. Cochran's request be granted.

Mr. Cochran said that the President had overruled his request and it seemed to be of no use for him or any other man to ask for anything when the President overruled him before any motion was made.

The President stated the whole course of the proceedings had, and ruled that Mr. Stout's motion was in order.

Mr. Hendershott thought that the whole matter was trifling and out of place and out of order. Senators were unnecessarily sensitive. He hoped that gentlemen would take sensible views of newspaper attacks and vote this whole matter down.

After some further remarks from other Senators, the gentleman from Lane was requested to reduce to writing what he wished to have entered upon the journal.

Mr. Cochran sent up the following:

"I desire that the Clerk of the Senate shall enter in the Journal of the Senate that R. B. Cochran, a State Senator from the county of Lane, discontinued the *Daily Statesman* for words spoken and allusions made that he thinks disrespectful."

Mr. Stout moved that the matter be entered upon the Journal.

Mr. Hendershott moved to amend by substituting the following:

"*Resolved*, That a committee of three be appointed to wait upon the editor of the *Daily Statesman*, if he is not already here, to notify him that he is in great bodily danger and that if he does not desist from his attacks upon members of this body quinine, vitriol and hot whisky will not save him."

There were here some remarks from several gentlemen, and one or two points of order were raised, but not decided.

Mr. Powell in the chair.

Mr. Hendershott withdrew his motion to amend.

Mr. Trevitt moved to lay the whole matter on the table; yeas 9, nays 10. Lost.

Mr. Stout's motion was then adopted, the vote being yeas 15, nays 5.

SPECIAL ORDER—BENTON COUNTY CONTEST.

Mr. Stout called for the special order, the Benton county contest.

Mr. Trevitt asked leave to offer a resolution, which was read for information, but, objection being made, the special order was taken up.

Mr. Brown, of Marion, presented the minority report of the special committee to whom was referred the matter of contest. The remainder of the morning session was consumed in the reading of the reports.

Afternoon Session.

Mr. Cochran moved that the name of Mr. Pershbaker be omitted when the roll is called.

The President decided the motion to be out of order.

Mr. Baldwin reported back S. B. 7, to tax unnaturalized foreigners immigrating to Oregon, with amendments, which were adopted.

Mr. Cornelius reported S. B. 15 to amend the General Laws of Oregon in relation to assaults, with amendments.

Mr. Brown, of Baker, reported back H. B. 16.

Mr. Cornelius moved the adoption of the committee's amendments to S. B. 15.

Mr. Stout moved to recommit the bill, with instructions, which prevailed.

Mr. Brown, of Baker, moved to indefinitely postpone H. B. 16, to protect salmon fisheries, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Trevitt offered S. R. 15, to restrict the time of speaking to ten minutes, which was not adopted.

Mr. Moores introduced S. B. 33, to provide for the erection of a State Capitol.

SECOND READING OF BILLS

S. B. 29, to make an appropriation to complete the drainage of lands in Union county, referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

S. B. 30 was referred to the Committee on Claims.

S. B. 31, to provide for the selection of swamp lands, was referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Mr. Burch moved that the President appoint a committeeman in place of Mr. Pershbaker on all committees where that Senator's name appears, which motion prevailed.

The President appointed on the Committee of Ways and Means, Mr. Moores, on Mining, Mr. Baldwin, on Public Lands, Mr. Burch.

Mr. Hendershott objected to the appointment of all Democrats on the committee on Public Lands. He was not willing to take the responsibility of constituting the committee of three Democrats, and thought that at least one Republican should be placed on the committee as it was an important committee.

The President—The Senator will have to take the responsibility. We all came here to take responsibilities.

S. B. 32, to tax and regulate Fire and Marine Insurance Companies, referred to the committee on Commerce.

S. B. 33, to provide for the election of Supreme and Circuit Judges in separate classes, referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs. Trevitt, Holsclaw and Witham.

H. B. 15, to disincorporate the Trustees of Trinity School.

THIRD READING OF BILLS

S. B. 10, to tax the stock of Banks, was read a third time and passed. Yeas, 15; nays 4.

S. B. 17, to amend the Act to regulate Private Corporations was read a third time and passed.

BENTON COUNTY CONTEST.

The special order, the Benton county contest, was taken up at 3 o'clock P. M., and the afternoon was mostly consumed in the hearing of the arguments of contestants and counsel for the sitting members.

At 5 o'clock P. M., the argument being concluded, Mr. Brown of Marion, moved to adopt the minority report and resolution.

The President called Mr. Baldwin to the Chair.

The roll was called till the name of the President was reached. Here Mr. Fay rose to explain his vote, saying that he could not see why Mr. Witham was not entitled to his seat. From the evidence it appears that importation had been practiced about equally by both political parties in Benton county. The evidence as to bribery was about equal. If money were paid for votes, both parties alike were equally involved.

Mr. Hendershott raised a point of order that Mr. Fay was proceeding to the merits of the case.

Mr. Fay—If there is any disposition to choke me off I should like to know it now.

The roll was called, when the vote appeared as follows:

Yeas—Messrs. Brown of Marion, Cornelius, Moores, Powell, Thompson, Watts and Mr. President—7.

Nays—Messrs. Baldwin, Brown of Baker, Burch, Cochran, Crawford, Hendershott, Holsclaw, Hunt, Lieuallen, Mosher, Patterson, Stout, Trevitt—13.

Absent, Mr. Pershbaker; not voting, Witham.

So the motion to adopt the minority report was not adopted.

Mr. Brown, of Baker, moved to adopt the majority report.

Mr. Stout called for a division of the question, there being two resolutions, one to declare Mr. Witham not entitled to his seat, and the other to declare Mr. Strahan legally elected to the seat.

The President [illegible] declared the question to be upon the [illegible] resolution, declaring Mr. Witham not entitled to his seat.

Mr. Fay said that now he supposed he could talk without being choked off, and he proceeded to show that the evidence in the case of the contestant did not sustain the conclusions of the majority report; that after hearing the testimony furnished by the two reports and the arguments of the [illegible] he was satisfied that Mr. Strahan was not legally elected, and that the report of the majority of the committee should not be adopted.

Mr. Stout—Though he had not read all the evidence, nor heard all the arguments, was disposed to take the judgment of the committee to whom the whole matter had been referred.

Mr. Cochran moved to adjourn. Lost, 4 to 17.

Mr. Fay moved to lay the resolution on the table. Lost, 8 to 13.

Mr. Fay moved to take a recess till 7 P. M. Lost, 10 to 11.

Mr. Fay moved to adjourn. Lost 7 to 14.

Mr. Stout moved the previous question. Sustained 11 to 9.

Here there was a long squabble as to the effect of the previous question and as to what was the question before the Senate.

The President finally decided the question to be on the adoption of the majority report.

The vote being taken those who voted yea were Messrs. Baldwin, Brown of Baker, Burch, Cochran, Crawford, Hendershott, Holsclaw, Hunt, Lieuallen, Mosher, Patterson, Stout, Trevitt—13.

Nays—Messrs. Brown of Marion, Cornelius, Moores, Powell, Thompson, Watts, Mr. President—7.

So the report was adopted.

Mr. Fay moved to adjourn. Lost.

Mr. Watts moved to reconsider the vote adopting the majority report.

Mr. [illegible] moved to [illegible] which [illegible] after a [illegible] squabble of half an hour, [illegible].

The Senate then adjourned.

HOUSE—Morning Session

SALEM, Thursday, Sept. 29.

The House was called to order at 9 o'clock A. M. by the Speaker. Messrs. Carson and Holman were absent.

THE BENTON COUNTY CASE.

The Speaker stated the order of business to be the consideration of the Benton county contested election case.

Mr. Porter—Before the counsel for the sitting members resumes his case I desire to offer the following resolution: Whereas, The counsel for the sitting members from Benton county has already occupied six or seven hours in the contest for that county, be it therefore *Resolved*, That he be allowed thirty minutes, and no more, in which to conclude his argument.

Mr. Ames (sitting in his seat)—I move its adoption.

Mr. Dunbar—I arise to a point of order. The gentleman did not address the Chair.

Mr. Ames—To accommodate the fastidiousness of the very fastidious school teacher from Marion, I will arise and make the motion.

Mr. Hare—Just one word before that resolution is adopted. We of this House cannot prevent the passage of this resolution, the majority may apply the gag rule now if they wish.

Mr. Porter—I am aware that the attorneys have been allowed their own way thus far, but we now see that unless we curtail them to some reasonable time they may occupy all the rest of the session. We are now all worn out listening to something which is of no use.

Mr. Fulton—I thought at the time that the House extended an extraordinary privilege. I wondered that lawyers should be allowed to come in and conduct the case in their own way. We have seen the result of it. The counsel for the contestants yesterday spent five hours in reading depositions and talking about them. It is an insult, nothing but an insult to this House to have its time taken up in this way. Such a farce was never offered in court. It looks more like it was offered as an insult. I hope the motion will prevail.

Mr. Whalley—The views of the gentleman from Wasco are certainly very peculiar. I do not know what his ideas of court are, but as expressed here, they are certainly the most singular that I have ever heard. It must be remembered that the time, or the greater portion of the time of the counsel yesterday, was taken up in reading the testimony. I believe that any court will hear all evidence deemed pertinent to the issue by the parties concerned. The gentleman's idea that we should pass upon the case without a hearing, is certainly very peculiar. As to the adoption of the resolution, I am willing that it should be acted upon without a word from me, but I could not refrain from entering my protest against the views expressed by the member from Wasco.

Mr. Ames said he would favor the resolution in pity for Judge Chenoweth, believing him already worn out with reading the depositions in the case.

Mr. Hare—As the resolution comes from the opposite side of the House, I have nothing to say.

Mr. Dorris had heard Judge Chenoweth say he could conclude the case in an hour, and if he could do so, he was opposed to the resolution.

Mr. Alexander—Before the vote is put, I would like to suggest that the attorney for the contestants be required to read his depositions.

The Speaker—The House has already resolved to allow the Attorneys to conduct the cases as they choose.

Mr. Dunbar—I would like to suggest that if the members will hereafter cease to interrupt the attorney he will be able to get along much faster. On yesterday a good deal of his time was consumed in this way.

The Speaker—The Speaker has endeavored, I think, to the satisfaction of the counsel, to protect him from interruption by the members.

Mr. Dorris said that although he had interrupted Judge Chenoweth several times, he had done so with a view to correct him in regard to points wherein he had made mistakes.

Mr. Starkweather was opposed to the resolution because the counsel had been led by the first resolution of the House to depend upon the arrangement given him about time, and he now needed more than half an hour to complete the case. Perhaps some of his strongest points are yet to be made. He was also opposed to the suggestion to require the counsel to confine himself to the reading of the depositions, for by the time he should afterwards be allowed to comment upon them, the depositions would be out of the minds of members. He was willing, however, to accept the resolution provided the time could be extended to one hour, and moved to amend to that effect.

Mr. Porter accepted the amendment and the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Chenoweth proceeded to close his case. He said that as the House had signified its desire that he should conclude in half an hour, he would not go beyond that time, and would not attempt to present any further testimony. As to the insult which some members had felt in regard to the voluminous testimony, it was a matter for which the sitting members should not be held responsible. They had promised but few depositions, and these only in answer to charges brought by the contestants. The insult, therefore, if any had been perpetrated, must have come from the contestants. He supposed the gentlemen who felt insulted at the amount of the evidence, was ready to vote and if so, he must be ready to vote for the sitting members as the legal presumption is that they are in their seats rightfully; that the officers of the election performed their duty properly when they returned Messrs. Dunn and Kelly as entitled to their seats. Such presumption must be entertained until it is overcome by evidence, and as it has not been overcome in this case it still exists. He called attention to the provisions in the code of civil procedure which says that evidence is to be estimated, not only by its own intrinsic weight, but also according to the evidence, which it is in the power of one side to produce and of the other to contradict, and therefore, that if the weaker and less satisfactory evidence is offered, when it appears that stronger and more satisfactory evidence was within the power of the party, the evidence should be viewed with distrust. The evidence offered was hearsay evidence. The contestants relied upon the report of others of what others had said. Their evidence is not only hearsay, but the hearsay of third persons. Such evidence should be viewed with distrust, especially when more direct testimony might have been had, as in this case. He claimed that the evidence was of a kind that would not establish anything. Such as it is, it implicates prominent Democrats in the business of importing voters into Benton county. He did not claim that it was true, but the rule ought to apply equally to each side. It proves nothing against the Democrats, and should be allowed to prove nothing against the Republicans. He had read much of the testimony, not because it was good, but to show its character and insufficiency. One witness testified that he had heard Simmons say that he had paid sixty dollars for imported voters, but Simmons was not called. He ought to have been, and might have been. Why was he not? The majority report says "Prominent Republicans have been engaged in importing voters into Benton county." Why were they not called and examined? He admitted that some men in Benton county had employed men from other counties to work for them about election time, and it might be that in employing such men they had made a distinction on account of politics. He regretted that such should be the case, but it was not illegal, and could not be held as a reason for disfranchising the men so employed. If, however, such men are to be rejected, let the Democrats, as they are in power, first apply the scissors to their own side.

Mr. Strahan—I do not propose to occupy much of the time of this House, but I deem it an act of simple justice not only to myself but to these contestants to notice some things that have fallen from the lips of the attorney for the sitting members. This House will bear me witness that I did not undertake to trespass upon the time of the attorney, neither did I indulge in any expressions upon the sitting members or their learned attorney. This House will also remember that during the nearly six hours which have been occupied by the counsel for the other side, I may safely say that one hour was devoted to invective against myself. The remarks he made as to the irrelevancy of our testimony and the impropriety of bringing it here, are based upon an assumed knowledge of the law which that attorney does not possess. He says this testimony is not of a proper character, and that I ought to be ashamed to present it. Mr. Speaker, I say now that that attorney was either grossly ignorant of the law or else he was presuming upon the ignorance of this body. I do not propose now to review the question, but I do propose to show that the evidence I have presented here is legal evidence, and for that purpose, I call attention to the case of the people vs. Pease, in the 27th volume of the New York reports, page 51. This decision was rendered in the Court of the highest jurisdiction in that State. I invite the attention of the distinguished gentleman from Multnomah, Mr. Whalley, and I will say that I have a profound respect for his opinion. The principle which the opposite counsel has attempted to establish, that election boards are judicial officers, and that after they have passed upon such questions their decisions are conclusive.

Mr. Whalley, interrupting—I wish to correct the attorney, merely. The attorney for the sitting member argued simply that the presumption of law is that all officers do their duty, and that the action of the officers certifying the election of these members, is presumed to be correct until overcome by proof.

Mr. Strahan thanked Mr. Whalley for correcting him and proceeded to read the authority to which he had referred, claiming that it establishes the admissibility of hearsay evidence in such cases. He then summed up his case. He claims that there were 36 votes cast for the Republicans, which were not bona fide voters by reason of non-residence. Two votes were cast by convicts and 2 by persons who were bribed to vote, making 40 illegal Republican votes. He admits that there were 3 illegal votes cast for the contestants. From these premises he finds the contestants, Mr. Calloway elected by 28 votes, and Mr. Carlyle by 30 votes.

Mr. Helm—I understand the arguments have been admitted, and I now move the adoption of the majority report.

Mr. Grant gave his opinion as to the legality of the votes of Wilson Brush and H. C. Matney, declaring that he knew the former to be a resident of [illegible] county, and the latter legally a voter in Benton county.

Mr. Hare took up the majority report of the special committee, and commented upon the testimony bearing upon the cases of alleged illegal voting. He read depositions to prove that of the votes alleged to have been illegally cast for the Republican candidates twenty-three were legal votes, and not non-residents as claimed. Some of them have resided for years in the county, and were rejected by the majority merely because of a temporary absence of a few days. Three are certified to by the County Clerk not to have voted at all. The students of Corvallis College had been [illegible] from the [illegible] and have a claim to a residence in Benton county, except one who swears that he had no other residence. Mr. Olney, [illegible] by the majority [illegible] as a legal voter, [illegible]. A. [illegible] had been before the City Recorder of Corvallis on a charge of [illegible] and was released from custody [illegible] the Republican ticket [illegible]. He left the county, but was [illegible] and voted for the sitting members. He is put down as an illegal voter by the majority report. He claimed that the evidence clearly showed the sitting members were elected by a clear majority after rejecting all doubtful votes. In conclusion he appealed to members to vote upon evidence and not to be governed by party prejudice. If the sitting members should be ousted from their seats upon such evidence as had been offered, it would be as great an outrage as could be perpetrated upon the people of Benton county.

Mr. Whitaker in the Chair.

Mr. Dorris replied to Mr. Olney. He read from a deposition of Hiram Smith to the effect that he had employed six men to go into Benton county as laborers before the election. The report of the majority of the special committee was based, he said, upon such evidence, the testimony of prominent Republicans, and not upon outside rumor, as the counsel for the sitting members has charged. He [illegible] at some length [illegible] the testimony.

Mr. Hunter moved the previous question.

Mr. Hare moved a call of the House.

The roll was called, and Messrs. Carson, Lockhart and Holman were absent.

The Speaker—I will state that Mr. Lockhart is absent attending upon his colleague of the Senate, (Mr. Pershbaker,) who is in a dying condition.

Mr. —— I rise to a question of privilege. The gentleman from Multnomah (Mr. Whalley) has [illegible] called the action of the House an outrage and I demand that he retract the words. I think that if he does not do so we should pass a resolution of censure upon him.

The Speaker—The Chair did not hear such language.

Mr. Hayden—I would say that if the gentleman said anything of the kind it was a private remark.

Mr. Hare—I now move the adoption of the minority report.

The Speaker ruled the motion out of order.

Mr. Hare—Then I move that the resolution appended to the minority report, declaring the sitting members entitled to their seats be adopted.

The Speaker—The Chair would say that such a motion is altogether superfluous. The gentlemen would hold their seats without such a resolution.

Mr. Helm moved the adoption of the resolution recommended by the majority of the committee declaring the sitting members not entitled to their seats, and the contestants entitled to them.

Mr. Dunn—In justice to myself and to Mr. Kelly I would ask that the resolution be divided so that our cases may be voted upon separately. My majority is not as large as his, and I think that in justice to him the vote should be taken separately. I may not be entitled to my seat while Mr. Kelly is.

The report was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Alexander, Ames, Barnett, Caldwell, Clarke, Comegys, Drum, Dorris, Deshell, Elkins, Fulton, Grant, Hutchinson, Helm, Hunter, McLain, Munkers, Ostrander, Porter, Savage, Thompson, Wills, Whitaker, Waldron and Mr. Speaker—25.

Noes—Applegate, Dunbar, Davenport, Earhart, Harrison, Hare, Hussey, Laughlin, Mills, Olney, O'Regan, Palmer, Quimby, Butler, Starkweather and Whalley—16.

Absent—Messrs. Carson, Lockhart and Holman.

Not voting because of personal interest—Messrs. Dunn and Kelly.

Mr. McCoy, of Grant county, was excused at his own request, on account of his not having heard all the evidence.

Mr. Drain of Jackson county, was the only Democrat who voted no.

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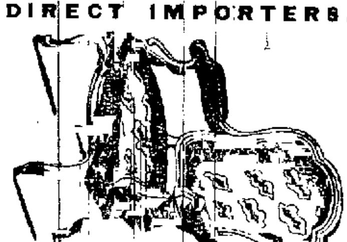

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Our commercial interests seem to be fluctuating. The figures at which freights have been taken recently by the Oregon packets, have already driven the *H* [illegible] *Almy* [illegible] montville. The *Cumberland* has also gone into another trade [illegible] and we hear of other [illegible] are looking about them for better inducements.

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The demand for shipping to transport to this State the materials for the Oregon and California Railroad company arriving in San Francisco from foreign ports has again [illegible]. The ships *Perpetua*, *Commodore* and *Emma* [illegible], now due, are each loaded with railroad materials. The first named vessel cleared on the 19th and she has 810 bars of railroad iron 1,200 kegs of spikes etc and the last named which is [illegible] days out to-day has a full cargo of railroad iron [illegible] 1,350 bars.

There is an active demand for money yet the usual bank rates remain unchanged.

The principal investments are in real estate [illegible] erty taking the lead.

Markets by Telegraph.

San Francisco Sept 29

Flour—24,000 sks National superfine, for China [illegible] rate. Superfine has been further advanced to $4 [illegible]; City brands superfine, $4 75a5, extra, $5 62½a5 [illegible]

Wheat—20 000 sks good shipping: 500 sks do $1 [illegible] 800 sks fair $1 [illegible] 305 sks d [illegible] $1 72½, 500 sks do $1 75 1 000 sks do $1 [illegible] 2,000 sks choice, $1 80 5 000 sks do $1 80

Barley—523 sks good new $1 10

Oats—The extremes are $1 15a1 45

Hay—Market quiet at $8a13 50 per ton for common to choice

Potatoes—Carolinas sold yesterday as low as [illegible] Other kinds at $1a1 70

Wool—sale of 175,000 lbs. burry to clean shipping; current rates

Shipping Intelligence

Portland, Sept. 22

Arrived—The bark *Almatia* Capt. A B Richardson, arrived in tow of the steam tug *Astoria* Capt Snow at 12 o clock, noon yesterday 17 days from San Francisco.

Consignees—Per bark *Almatia*—K B & Co two mill stones; Water Bros, 10 pkgs; Oregon Manufacturing Co 163; F L & Co 15; dia T a dia 300; E J N & Co 237; Commercial Hotel Association 61; S & D 18; M A Graham & Co 1; C L Parker, 38; Q & Co 124; H W Corbett 30; H Failing, 418; R Irving & Co 50; J Cook 13; C R M & Co 15; P B & M 1 safe; E M & Co, 15; H R & Co 25; K & B, 104; G L S 50; B F Dorris 87; Wm Young 2; E & B, 826; H & C 36; R D 250; Wm Beck, 9; Isaac Dane A M 10; L White & Co 33; M Seller 103; I Hosenbaum & Co 1; D & B, 50; Geo Farel 10; W B 8; J W C 67; P O 132; W J & Co triangle 43; E dia M, 657; A & L 436; M A [illegible] J T & Son 141; Smith Bros, 6 600 pig iron; Hawley Dodd & Co, 1 6; J K G [illegible] 2; H R, 6; C & M, 1,349; X dia M P 25; H Myer 1; Fried [illegible] & Co, 424; D & W 9; Salem Gas Works 1; Leveridge, Wadhams & Co, 303; B & W 35; Walter Bros, 166

[BY TELEGRAPH]

San Francisco Sept 29

Sailed—bark *Aris Mitchell* Port Madison; bark *Joachim*, Christian, Burrard Inlet; schooner *Jenny Thelin*, Coos Bay

Arrived—bark *Kontum*

Wholesale and Jobbing Markets

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Seasonable Goods—Gang Plows—Mason, $100; Pfiel, $75; Eureka, $75; Skinner's $80 to $90; Sattley $80 to $85 and $90; Gay's Sulkey $85. Seed Drills—Buckeye 9 hoe, $120; 10 hoe ditto $125; Esterly $75. Cultivators—$12 to $16. Walking Plows—Prouty, $14, $16, $17, $18; Moline, $15 50 to $18; Boston Clipper, $13, $14 to $19; Cast Steel, [illegible]; Fan Mills—$40 to $47 50. Cider Mills—[illegible] $27 50; Hockey, two kinds, from $32 50 to [illegible]

BROOMS—Oregon make No 1, $6 25 ℔ doz.; No 2, $5 25 ℔ doz; No. 3, $4 25 ℔ doz; California make, —Pal[illegible] No. 1, $5 50; No. 2, $4 50; No 3, $3 50; other makes No. 1, $5 50, No. 2, $4 50, No. 3, [illegible]

BAGS AND BAGGING—Burlap bags, [illegible] do, 23x[illegible] Dundee gunnies, 16½c; linen [illegible] per yd [illegible]

BUILDING MATERIAL—New Jersey Cement, ℔ bbl., $5 00; Rosen's, $4 50@5 00; Santa Cruz Lime ℔ bbl., $2 75; San Juan do $2 75; Calcine Plaster $5 00; Sand, $2 50. Lumber—Assorted rough ℔ M $14 @16; dressed, $? @20; flooring [illegible] laths $3 per M; cedar shingles, $2 50; redwood boards, dr [illegible] $47 50; [illegible] hardware, 17@20c per foot

CANDLES—Giants, 19@19½; Emery's 18c; Kelly's, 14c; Star 19c; Ward's, 19c; Harkness' 22; Macy's, 19; [illegible] 18c; Gross' 18

COFFEE—Rio, none, Costa Rica 21¼@22; Java, [illegible]; Jones' Prepared Java, 28@30; Chartres 24@25

DRUGS—Alum bbls 6c; borax, Eastern, 37½@40 cents; blue vitriol, 18c; potash Giants, 1 ℔ can per doz; $2 25; Resin, per bbl, $8@12; saltpetre kegs, 15@25c; sulphur 8@11.

DRY GOODS—Standard drills, 15½@16½; seconds, 13½; *Sheetings*—Light 12½; medium, 13@14; Standard, 14a16; House lining 8½a10; Bleached sheeting, 3-4, 7½a9; do, 7-8, 10½a13½; do 4 4, 13½a20. Cotton checks 15a25; linen checks, 25a27; Cambrics 10a10½; Cotton flannel, bleached 15a25; do brown, 14a20; Cottonades, light 25a30; do heavy 37½a50; Denim, 15a25; Hickory stripes 13a25; Standard Prints, 10½; seconds, 9c; Delaines, 18 [illegible] 20a37½; Ticks 7 8, 16½a22; do, 4 4, 25a35. Bear duck, 25; Table linen, damask, brown, 37½a62½; do, damask bleached, 50a87½. Diaper linen, 37½a50; Seamless sacks 37½a40; Alpaca, black, 27½a75; Wa[illegible], 95a$1 25; Crash 10½a15

FRUITS, SAUCES ETC—Grapes California per box $2@2 50; Raisins, new fresh layers in boxes $5 00; in half boxes $5 25; in qr boxes $5 50; Currants ℔ ℔, 17c; Canned peaches, 4½@4½, Assorted pie fruits $4 25; Honey in tins, $4 50; Green Corn, in cans $3 15; Lobsters, in tins, $3 50@3 75; Oysters, Field's, $3 50; McMurray's $3 50; other brands $3 75@4 00; Tomato Catsup in pints, $1 75; in qts $2 25; Caper sauce, $3 75@4 00

HARDWARE AND IRON—Iron Axles 9½@10½; Carriage Springs, [illegible]; Axe Handles $4 00@4 [illegible]; Pick do $4 @4 50; Sledge do. $3 00@4 00; Bar Lead 12½c; Sand Paper $9; Pit Cross-cut Saws ℔ ft, 85@90 cts; Mill do ℔ ft. [illegible]; Anvils, Armitage, 15; Sledges, cast steel, 15; Bellows, 60@65c ℔ inch, Newhouse traps $8 00@ $24 00; Grindstones, 4½; Cable Chain, 9 to 14; Thimble Skeins, $5 00@12 00; Scale Beams [illegible]; Pumps, [illegible] $13@18 50; [illegible] do do $12 50; Iron—Round bar iron, ⅜ to 2 inch [illegible] bar, 6½@10; Norway [illegible] American do [illegible] rod, 10; Horse Nails, Dobbin (hand made) 45@50, Putnam (pressed), 34@38; Griffin (pressed), 30@35.

MATCHES—[illegible], 2 00; parlor $3 75; California, $2 25.

METALS—Iron Scotch and English pig per ton, hon sheet 14 to 20, 7½c; sheet, 24 to 27, 9c; Oregon pig $41 00 at works. Copper—Sheathing per pound 40c; do, yellow 40c; do, bronze, 50, do old, 15c. Tin Plates—Plates, charcoal IX, per box $14 50; plates, IC, char $13; roofing plates, $12 50; Banca tin slabs, ℔ ℔ 48c. Steel—English cast steel, ℔ ℔ 18c. Lead—Pig ℔ ℔ 9c, sheet, 14c; pipe 13c; bar 12. Zinc—Sheets ℔ ℔ 14c. Babbit Metal 30@50. Quicksilver 7?c cash

MOLASSES—Hawaiian molasses per gal 25c.

NAILS—Best brands $6 50@7 ℔ keg. Fine Finishing and brads, $7 50; Lath 3d fine $9 50; Boat Spikes, $9 00, firm.

NUTS—Almonds, 30@35; English Walnuts, 16@14; Brazil, 20c; Filberts, 20c; Peanuts, 15c; Pecans 30c

OILS—Kerosene Oil—Devoe's, 45c; Pratt's, 45c; Lard Oil, $1 70 ℔ gal; China Nut Oil, $1 30a1 35; Polar Oil 80c; Tanner's Oil, 65c; Neatsfoot Oil, $1 65; Sperm Oil, $2 50; Castor Oil, $2 75; Linseed Oil $1 20; raw and boiled; Dog Fish, 60; Turpentine [illegible]

POWDER—Dupont's, 55 for ℔ cans; 65 for ½ ℔ cans Rifle, in 25 ℔ kegs $8 00; Sporting in 5 ℔ cans $3 50 each, Eagle Duck 1 2 and 3 per keg $4 50. Hazard's Kentucky rifle, 55c for 1 ℔ cans; 65c for ½ ℔ cans; California Rifle ℔ cans; 66c ½ ℔ cans do per ½ keg $8 50. Blasting ℔ keg of 25 lbs, $2 75. Fuse: Double tape, $10 50; single tape $7 50; triple, $2 50 per 1,000 feet.

ROPE—Per ℔ 22c firm

RICE—China No 1 5@8¼; Patna 7½@8c; Hawaiian 9 @10c; Batavia, 6½@7

SALMON—Canned [illegible] ℔ cans ℔ [illegible] $7 50; 4 ℔ cans, $15; Fresh 1 ℔ cans $2 5[illegible] 2 ℔ cans 1 75

SALT—Liverpool fine $30a3[illegible]; do coarse $26a27; Carmen Island $27 50@30; Ground Rock $19 00; Dairy $37 25; San Quentin $25@27 50

SALERATUS—Bart[illegible] 10c ℔ ℔; Babbitt's 11c

SOAP—Oregon brands 7@7½cts; Colgate 11½; Castile, 18c; Cal brands 7½@8½c; Detersive $1 [illegible]

SODA—Babbitt's 11c; Barton's 9½c; sal soda, 4½@5c; bicarbonate in kegs, 8

SPICES—Cloves, 50c; Cassia, 62½@70c; Nutmegs $1 25 @1 27½; Mace $1 40@1 50; Pepper grain 35@37½; Mustard, Cal $1 40@1 62½, do French $1 50@2 75; Pepper ground $1 50@1 75; do Cayenne $1 75; All spice ground, $1 50@1 75; do grain 30c; Ginger ground, $1 50@1 75.

STARCH—Glenfield 19½@20; corn 16@17; Duryeas 6a 15c; pearl 12½; Oswego Kingsfords 10½@13½; San Jose 10a12c

SUGARS—Sand Island 9@11½c; San Francisco Yellow C 13½; Golden C [illegible]; bbls 14c; Powdered, 16½a16½; Crushed in bbls 16½, in half bbls 16½a16c.

SYRUPS—Extra heavy Golden bbls 55@57½; [illegible] bbls 90@92½; kegs [illegible]

TOBACCO—Navy ℔ ℔ 75@80cts; Light Pressed 90@ 100; Atlantic Cable, 85@90c.

TEAS—Young Hyson [illegible] 50; Gunpowder and Imperial, $1 25; black 55@1 00; Japan in papers, 82½@ 90c.

YEAST POWDERS—Preston & Merrill's ℔ gross $25; Donnelly's, per gross $[illegible]; Levy's $45

WOOD AND WILLOW WARE (per nest)—Pails painted, $3 00@3 50; do Cedar $4 50@5 00; Tubs painted, $4 00@4 50; do cedar $5 50

WOOLEN GOODS—Oregon manufacture—*Blankets* gray No 1, $9 00; No 2, $6 50; No 3, do $4 00; do white, No 1 extra, $12 00; No 1 $8 50; do No 2 $7 00; No. 2, blue $7 5; No 2, green $7 75. Vicunna No 1 $11 00; No 2, $8 00; 3 4 White flannel $1 10@$1 25; 4-4 White do 75c; 3 4 White do. 40 @45c. Plain assorted colors flannel 40@45c; Fancy Twilled shirting do, 60@65c; Grey Mixed Shirting 40@45. Hard times 90c; Grey Doeskin $1 00; Fancy do $1 10; Drab Mixed Beaver 9?½c; Fancy Cassimeres $1 00a1 [illegible]; Tweeds [illegible]; Yarns $1a1 [illegible]

Domestic Produce—Jobbing Prices

FLOUR—Leading [illegible] ℔ bbl $[illegible]; super fine $4 00@4 5[illegible]; fine $4 00; good country brands $5

GRAIN—Wheat—Good white wheat [illegible] ℔ bushel; Red [illegible]; Oats ℔ [illegible]; Barley—Chevalier [illegible] ℔ ℔; common brewing 1¼@1½c

FEED—Ground grain $25 00; Bran ℔ ton $11 00; Middlings ℔ ton $[illegible]; Shorts $18@20

HAY—From wagon $11 00@12 00 ℔ ton; baled ℔ ton $1[illegible] 00@13 00

FRUITS—Apples—green ℔ box $1 25@1 5[illegible]. Pears [illegible] ℔ box $1 00@1 5[illegible]. Dried Apples [illegible] in bulk [illegible] in kegs 5½. Dried Pears [illegible] Oregon ℔ ℔ [illegible]. Dried Plums without pits 22c; with pits 8@10c

POTATOES—[illegible] ℔ [illegible]

ONIONS—[illegible] ℔ bushel $1 00@1 25; California per 100 lbs $3 [illegible]

PROVISIONS—[illegible] Sides [illegible] Hams [illegible] Cross [illegible] Brassfield & Co's [illegible] Butter—[illegible] ℔ ℔ brine [illegible]@25c; fresh roll [illegible] Cal ranch 3½c. Beans—White Pea 3½@4c; Red 3½c; Pink 3½c; small White 3½c; Bayou, 4c; Butter 4c. Lard—Oregon, 10 ℔ cans 18c; in bulk 16a18c. Mess Beef—℔ bbl $18 00. Mess Pork—℔ bbl $25. Cheese—Oregon 18c; California 21@22c; Eastern 24c. Eggs—20@21 cents ℔ doz. Hominy—℔ ℔ 5@6½c

Domestic Produce—Buying Prices

GRAIN—Wheat—Good White ℔ bush 1, 85c; Red [illegible]@70c; Oats—℔ bushel [illegible]; Barley—Chevalier ℔ ℔ 1¼@1½c; common brewing 1¼@1½

CORN MEAL—W W ℔ 100 lbs $5 00; country brands $2 75@3 00

FEED—Ground ℔ ton $25

FRUITS—Apples—Green ℔ box 1 25@$1 50; Dried ℔ ℔ 4@5c; Peaches—Dried, ℔ ℔ 8½c

HAY—From wagon $10 00; baled $11 00@12 00

PROVISIONS—Bacon—sides 14a15 cts; Hams—15a18; Shoulders—8c; Lard—in tins 16 cents; in kegs 14[illegible]; Eggs—℔ dozen 20c; Butter—good to choice 20@25c; Beans—℔ 100 lbs $3 25@4 25

POULTRY—Chickens—young, ℔ doz $4 00@4 50; grown $4 50@5 00

POTATOES—℔ bushel 37½@40c

WOOL AND FURS—Wool—℔ ℔ 22c. Furs—Fisher $1 50@3 00; Fox cross $1 00@3 00; do red 75c @1 00; Martin prime, dark $2 50@6 00; do pale, $1 00 @2 50; Mink dark northern 25c@$1 25; pale, 25c@$1; Musk at 10c; Otter prime dark $1 75@3 50; Sea Otter $25 00@40 00; Coon 1 [illegible]; Wolf, black $1 50@2 00; do grey 50@$1 00; Wild Cat 25c; Skunk 12½c; Fur Seal $1 50@2 50; Beaver dark, ℔ ℔ 75@80c; Bear black, $2 00@5 00; do brown $2 00@2 50; Cat 25c

Weekly Retail Family Market

DOMESTIC & FOREIGN FRUITS			
Oranges ℔ doz	1 00@1 25	Clear side	18a20
Limes per doz	50c@$1 00	Shoulders country cut	10a12
Green—		Butcher's and packer's	
Apples	50c@1 25	Butcher's and packer's sugar cured	12½@16
Pears per box	$1 00@1 50	Cheese Cal ℔ ℔	27
Dried—		Cheese Oregon	20@25
Pears ℔ ℔	8@10c	Eggs fresh ℔ doz	25@30
Apples ℔ ℔	7@10	Honey ℔ ℔	18@25
Peaches ℔ ℔	12½@25	Lard choice, ℔ ℔	20
Plums pitless	20@25	10 ℔ leaf in tins	[illegible]
with pits	12½	Butter—	
Figs Cal ℔ ℔	20@25	Choice fresh roll	35@40
Smyrna	35@40	Good	25@30
Prunes in bulk	15@20	Ordinary	20
in jars and tins	35@40	Common ℔ ℔	18
GROCERIES		Flour—℔ ½ sack	
Coffee		Imperial	1 75
Green R ℔ ℔	25	Standard	1 75
Java	30@35	Vaughn's	1 75
Jones' prepared, Rets		McLeran's	1 75
Java	28@30	Salem, XXX	1 75
Chartres	55	City Mills	1 50
Rio	30	Other brands	1 25@1 50
Sugar—Crushed	20	POULTRY GAME &C	
Pulverized	20	Turkeys each	$1 25@1 50
Golden C	16½	Chickens, doz	4 00@4 50
Granulated	16½	spring	$3 50@4 00
Yel O S F Ref	14	Puget Sound Cod	12½
Islands	12½@13½	Salt Salmon ℔ ℔	8
Syrups in kegs ℔ g	95a1 00	VEGETABLES	
per gal	1 25	Beets ℔ ℔	3
Tea—Y'ng Hyson	$1 50	Carrots ℔ ℔	3
Imperial	$1 50	Onions ℔ ℔	3
Old	$1 00@1 25	Turnips ℔ dox bchs	75
Gun Powder	$1 75	Potatoes ℔ bushel	50c@[illegible]
Japan	90c@1 00@1 25	Cabbage ℔ doz	75@1 50
Black	75@1 25	Sweet potatoes	4
PROVISIONS		Parsnips ℔ doz bunches	50
Hams country cut	20	Celery ℔ doz hds	1 50
Butcher's	20@22	Cauliflower	none
Butcher's and Packers (Sug Cured)	22@25	Green Peas ℔ ℔	
Cross'	23	Radishes, 50c ℔ doz bunches	
Bacon breakfast & rib	15	Green Beans	6
		Green Corn	12½c

Cattle and Live Stock Market

CATTLE—Beef cattle $6 00 ℔ cwt net

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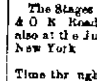

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Canyonville 4½		Yreka	11½
Yreka at 1 M		Shasta	[illegible] M
Shasta at 3 P M		Chico	3 A M
Chico at 3½ A M		Sac'mento same day	11
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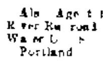

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Packages on hand Unclaimed prior to October 1 1869 to be sold at Public Auction Six Weeks from date for Express Charges:

Where from	Date of Reception	Description	Consignee
			A
San Francisco	July [illegible] 1867	Pkg	Armstrong A
	July 2 1868	"	Ackers F
	March 4 1868		Ackers F
	July 19 1869	"	Amesky
			B
San Francisco	July 6 1868	Pkg	Barret C
	July 6 1868	"	Brown W H
Astoria	April 25 1867	"	Bergen J R
San Francisco	Nov 20 1867	"	Booth I
	Dec 1 1868	"	Barret S P
Olympia	Feb [illegible] 1868	"	Blackman H
San Francisco	April 10 1869	Chest	Beck C M
	Feb 26 1869	Valise	Blesver Saml
San Francisco	Aug 24 1869	Box	Baldwin J M
	March 4 1869	Pkg	Beary S
Salem	March 11 1869	Box	Bruno Jn
San Francisco	April 8 1869	Pkg	Bailey J L S
	June 3 1869	"	Bouter V W
Yreka	June 8 1869	"	Beers S
			C
San Francisco	May 1 1869	Pkg	Chandler Wm
	July 21 1866	"	Cooper Mr
Baker City	Dec 3 1867		Do [illegible] Wa
San Francisco	Feb	1867	Chapman G W
	May 15 1867		Coulter Mrs E
	Dec 1867		C [illegible] J S
Oregon City	July 14 1868	"	Clafflin P K
	Oct 8 1868	Valise	Connor Thos
San Francisco	July 13 1869	Saw	Corwin J H
			D
San Francisco	March 1 1869	Pkg	Degnore Jno
	June 22, 1869	"	Davis H S
Eugene	April 13 1867	"	Deveas M A
			E
Salem	Dec 7 1867	Pkg	Earle Mrs M C
			F
Canyon City	Jan 16 1868	Pkg	Freeman, P C
San Francisco	July 1867	"	Farral W H
	Jan 1 1868	"	Field D Y
	Jan 1 1868	"	Field Miss M
			G
Placerville	Feb 9 1868	Pcl	Gans L
Salem	Oct 23 1866	Pkg	Gov of Oregon
Umatilla	Oct 25 1866	Valise	Gale N
			H
Dalles	April 20 1868	Pkg	Hobart C V
Wallula	Feb 12, 1867	Trunk	Harris Martha
San Francisco	April 1 1867	Pkg	Hughes S N
Oregon City	Feb 10 1867	"	Hammock T N
Salem	July 8 1868		Heaslew G
San Francisco	Oct 24 1868	"	Hart Thos
	Jan 28 1869	"	Hexter L M
	April 29 1869		Hollister F
	26, 1869	"	Hawthorne I
			L
San Francisco	Oct 25 1868	Pkg	Lutin R
	Nov 11 1867	Box	Low Lewis
Eugene	Dec 1867	Sack	Lewis Chas
			M
San Francisco	Dec 6 1868	Box	Meeker Mrs R A
	Dec 8 1868	Pkg	Mallory J L
Dalles	Sept 24 1867	Bag	McCarty Wm
San Francisco	Jan 1 1868	Box	Miller H
	Feb 26, 1868	Trunk	Mason G B
Yreka	Jan 24 1868	Pkg	McGinley J
San Francisco	July 3 1868	"	Mostaza F
	Aug 25 1868	Roll	Maw On Long
	Nov 21 1868	Box	McAdams [illegible]
	June 12 1869	Pkg	Merritt C
	May 20 1869		Meyer Wm
			N
San Francisco	Nov 12 1868	Case	Neyce J H
			P
San Francisco	Sept 12 1867	Pcl	Pomeroy Miss I
Roseburg	Nov 15 1867	Box	Parker H
San Francisco	Sept 15 1868	Pcl	Pimpton S B
Olympia	Oct 25 1868	Pkg	Prose J H
San Francisco	Jan 4 1869	"	Powell R R
	Feb 22, 1869	"	Powers E
Albany	Oct 2, 1869	Box	Pickett Wm
			R
San Francisco	June 6 1866	Pkg	Redpath P [illegible]
Boise City	Dec 3 1866	"	Ratcliff E
San Francisco	June 14 1869	"	Roberts P
			S
San Francisco	Aug 20 1866	Pkg	[illegible]
	June 1 1866		Strong L D
	Sept 4 1866	"	
	July 13 1866	"	Shriver A
Boise City	Aug 28 1866		Shepard Jno
San Francisco	Nov 15 1867		Sherwood W T
	Dec 1 1867	R R	S [illegible] T
	Feb 27 1868		Snl [illegible] T
	Dec 8 1866	Pkg	Smith W J
			T
Tumwater	[illegible] 1866	Box	Thompson A
Vancouver	Nov 14 1866	Pkg	Thompson I C
San Francisco	Mar 11 1866	Box	Torrence G
Union	Feb 11 1869	"	Tyklo G A
			W
Corvallis	April 13 1866		Wilmer C
San Francisco	Sept	1868 Pkg	Wilson R R
	July 19	1869 Box	Walker N
Walla Walla		Trunk	O B Robeta
		Pkg	W H Baxter
			T A Warder

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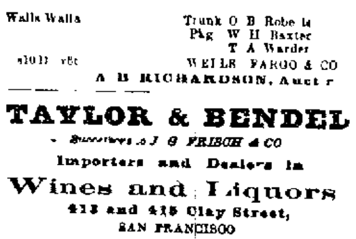

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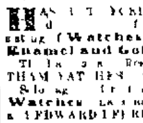

OFFERS FOR SALE AT REDUCED [illegible] of the Howard Waltham Elgin English and other Gold and Silver Watches. Also a large [illegible] Diamonds [illegible] Bracelets [illegible] Finger Rings Moss Agate sets Opera and Marquerite [illegible] Eye glasses Silver [illegible] Rings Butter Knives Spoons [illegible] etc and all [illegible] ELEGANT GOODS cheap for cash. jeid f

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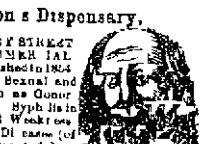
TO THE UNFORTUNATE

NEW REMEDIES, NEW REMEDIES

Dr Gibbon s Dispensary,



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Horrible Diseases.

How many thousands of persons both male and female are there who are suffering a miserable existence from the effects of secret indulgences or from virus absorbed into the system. Look at their pallid emaciated and disfigured faces and their broken-down constitutions disqualifying them for the happiness of marriage or the enjoyment of life. In this sad situation thousands suffer until death closes the scene. Let parents, guardians friends attend to those who are suffering with any of these horrible life-destroying maladies—see that they are cared for and cured before it be too late. Send them immediately to Doctor Gibbon a physician who has made private diseases his special study for years and who is certain to cure the most inveterate cases without mercury or any injurious drugs. It is important to those who are afflicted or to those who are interested in the welfare of their friends to be careful of the many pretended doctors who infest all cities publishing their skill [illegible] all diseases in a few days in posing upon the public by using the names of eminent physicians from Europe and other places. Be therefore careful and make strict inquiry [illegible] you may fall into the hands of those charlatans.

Seminal Weakness

Seminal Emissions [illegible] consequence of self-abuse. This [illegible] practised by the youth of both sexes to an almost unlimited extent, producing with unerring certainty the following train of morbid symptoms unless combated [illegible] formed [illegible] allow countenance dark spots under the eyes pain in the head ringing in the ears noise like the rustling of leaves and rattling of chariots uneasiness about the loins weakness of the limbs confused vision blunted intellect loss of confidence diffidence in approaching strangers dislike to form new acquaintances a disposition to shun society loss of memory hectic flushes pimples and various eruptions [illegible] the face furred tongue fetid breath coughs consumption night sweats monomania and frequent insanity. If relief be not obtained should apply immediately either in person or by letter [illegible] effected by his new and scientific mode [illegible] treating this disease which never fails of effecting a [illegible] One Hundred [illegible] any person who will prove satisfactorily [illegible] was cured [illegible] either of the San Francisco [illegible]

MARRIED MEN,

Or those who contemplate marriage who are suffering under any of [illegible] fearful maladies should not forget the sacred responsibility [illegible] them nor delay obtaining immediate relief.

DOCTOR GIBBON is responsible and will give to each patient [illegible] instrument binding himself to effect a radical and permanent cure or make no charge.

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[illegible] may be CURED AT HOME [illegible]

Caution to the Unfortunate

Beware of [illegible] and pretenders [illegible] unwary [illegible] doctors [illegible] San Francisco [illegible] Look at the directory [illegible]

Address DR J F GIBBON [illegible] San Francisco

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SHERIFF S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION [illegible] of Sale issued out of the Circuit [illegible] of Multnomah [illegible] Alex Ryan [illegible] Ryan [illegible] and 50 100 $33 [illegible] Dollars [illegible] per month [illegible] I have this 23d day [illegible] 26th day of [illegible] at 10 o'clock A M [illegible] Alex Ryan [illegible] to satisfy said execution [illegible]

[illegible] BILLS

[illegible] Sheriff of Multnomah County

U S MARSHAL S NOTICE—District of Oregon. Whereas a Libel has been filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon [illegible] day of September A D 1870 [illegible] United States against the schooner *Louisa Simpson* [illegible] Apparel and Furniture alleging in substance [illegible] the Territory of Alaska distilled spirits [illegible] contrary to the laws of the United States in such cases [illegible] praying the usual process and [illegible] against said vessel her tackle [illegible] and that the same may be decreed as forfeited to the United States together with her cargo. Now therefore [illegible] of the warrant under the seal of said Court to me directed and delivered I do hereby give public notice to all persons claiming said schooner *Louisa Simpson* [illegible] and cargo or in any manner interested [illegible] that they be and appear before the said District Court at Portland on Monday the 7th day of November [illegible] at 10 o clock A M of said day then and there to interpose their claim and make their allegations in that behalf. THOMAS G YOUNG

Sept 21 1870 [illegible] U S Marshal Oregon

SUMMONS—Justices Court for the Precinct of North Portland—State of Oregon County of Multnomah—W W Whipple plaintiff vs L Smith defendant. Civil action to recover money.

To L Smith the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear before the undersigned a Justice of the Peace [illegible] on the 1st day of October 1870 [illegible] to answer the above named plaintiff in a civil action. The defendant will take notice that if he fail to answe the complaint the plaintiff will take judgment against him for the sum of seven $[illegible] dollars and the costs of this action.

Given under my hand this 16th day of August 1870

SAM A MORELAND Justice of the Peace

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SUMMONS—Justices Court for the Precinct of North Portland—State of Oregon County of Multnomah—Philip Wyman plaintiff vs L Smith defendant. Civil action to recover money.

To L Smith the above named defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear before the undersigned a Justice of the Peace for the precinct aforesaid on the 1st day of October 1870 at [illegible] o clock in the afternoon of said day at the office of said Justice in said precinct to answer the above named plaintiff in a civil action. The defendant will take notice that if he fail to answer the complaint herein, the plaintiff will take judgment against him for the sum of forty one and 15-100 ($41 15) dollars and the costs of this action.

Given under my hand this 16th day of August 1870

SAM A MORELAND Justice of the Peace

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon [illegible] of G H Calvert bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by [illegible] of Baker City in the county of Baker [illegible] duly declared a bankrupt under the Act of [illegible] for a discharge [illegible] from all his debts [illegible] day of October 1870 at [illegible] A M of that day is assigned for the hearing [illegible] and where all [illegible] to show cause [illegible] prayer of said petition should not be [illegible]

RALPH WILCOX

Sept 24 1870 Clerk U S District Court Oregon

sa2d1aw3t

PROPOSALS.

TO WOOD DEALERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned at his office No 93 and 100 Front street Portland Oregon until Wednesday, October 6 1870 at noon, for the cutting and clearing off timber on the property of the Portland Homestead Association.

The property consists of One Hundred Acres of land lying on the Macadamized road one mile distant from the City of Portland boundaries of which will be furnished on application.

The Association desire to have the lands cleared and sell the entire lot of timber contained thereon to the highest bidder but reserve the right to reject *any* or *all bids*.

All bids to be made in U S Gold Coin and to be accompanied with a guarantee of two responsible parties for the faithful performance of the contract if awarded. In case contract is awarded to any bidder a bond will be required for double the amount of contract to be accepted by the Board of Directors for the faithful performance of the same. All bids must be addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Proposals for Timber." Bidders are requested to be present at the opening of bids.

RICH D B KNAPP Pres P H A

Portland Oregon Sept 20 1870 s21dtd

Office Chief Q M Dept. Columbia,

Portland Or September [illegible] 1870

BY AUTHORITY RECEIVED FROM THE CHIEF Quartermaster of the Military Division of the Pacific SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office up to noon on the 1st day of November 1870, for the Transportation of "Military Stores" and Supplies from Portland Oregon to Sitka Alaska.

The quantity to be transported will be about Four Hundred Tons more or less.

Bids must be in triplicate, and must state the price per ton, ship measurement in coin.

The United States reserves the right to reject all bids

R SAXTON

28d6t Chief Qr Mas

BY AUTHORITY OF A SPECIAL ACT OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

$1,000,000.

GRAND GIFT CONCERT IN AID OF the MERCANTILE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION of San Francisco California, Monday October 31 1870. Tickets of Admission $5 00 in gold coin.

Treasurer—The Bank of California

During the Entertainment the sum of $500 000 U S Gold Coin will be returned to the Holders of Tickets, by the distribution, by chance, of the following GIFTS

1 Gift of		$100 000 Gold
1 Gift of		50 000
1 Gift of		35 000
1 Gift of		30 000
1 Gift of		19 000
1 Gift of		18 000
1 Gift of		[illegible] 000
1 Gift of		16 000
1 Gift of		15 000
1 Gift of		14 000
1 Gift of		13 000
1 Gift of		[illegible] 000
1 Gift of		11 000
1 Gift of		10 000
1 Gift of		9 000
1 Gift of		8 000
1 Gift of		7 000
1 Gift of		6 000
1 Gift of		5 000
1 Gift of		4 000
1 Gift of		3 000
1 Gift of		2 000
1 Gift of		1 500
10 Gifts	$1 000 each	10 000
30 Gifts	50 each	15 000
20 Gifts	500 each	10 000
30 Gifts	400 each	12 000
50 Gifts	300 each	15 000
50 Gifts	200 each	10 000
425 Gifts	100 each	42 500
625 Gifts amt		$500 000

The Concert and Distribution will take place under the immediate direction of the Board of Trustees of the Mercantile Library Association assisted by a Supervisory Committee selected from State, City and County officers and well known citizens of San Francisco.

ROBERT B SWAIN President M L A

W H L BARNES Vice President

WM C RALSTON Treasurer

After paying the expenses of the Entertainment and making the payment of the Gifts as above announced, the balance will be applied to extinguishing the present indebtedness of the Mercantile Library Association.

Holders of tickets to which gifts may be awarded will receive the same on presentation of such tickets [illegible] the Business Agents of the Board of Trustees at the office No 319 California street San Francisco.

NOTICE.

HOLDERS OF TICKETS to the GIFT CONCERT of the Mercantile Library Association are hereby [illegible] that the [illegible] postponed until

Monday, October 31st, 1870

[illegible] unexpected interference have operated to make this [illegible] the result of [illegible] the Legislature passed February 10 [illegible]

This is positively the only postponement which will be made. The Concert will take place on the day above [illegible] at one o'clock A M and to continue until all the gifts have been awarded.

The funds [illegible] bank are considerably more than [illegible] the successful completion of the [illegible] with the public.

The sale of tickets will positively close on Friday [illegible]

[illegible]

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E Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT [illegible] Ordinance No [illegible] of E street between [illegible] Front and North Tenth street [illegible] Ordinance No 812 on each of the following described lots and parts of lots [illegible] intersections [illegible] the City Treasurer in [illegible] United States gold and silver [illegible] warrants [illegible] for the collection thereof.

Block	Lot	Owner	Assessment
	[illegible] 6	W I [illegible]	$1[illegible] 4
	6	Sam Vandle	8 32
		[illegible] Fellows	8
	5	J Peters	6 32
	3	[illegible] Duffy	8 [illegible]
8		[illegible]	1 4
	5	M [illegible]	29
Park		City of Portland	165 90
	[illegible] 7 8	J McCracken	21 4
4	7 8	L F Harrington	12 21
	4	Mrs M M Myers	1 33
34	[illegible] 6 7 8	C H Lewis	1[illegible]
	6 4	Mrs J H [illegible]	29
	8	Ainsworth & Thompson	1 54
		Wilbur Trey	60 [illegible]
		[illegible]	16 4
	4	Mrs [illegible]	6 5
	W ½ 3	F J [illegible]	34 0[illegible]
	E ½ 3	J G Smith	4 96
	4	J Seewoal	39
	2	J Lenegan	7 34
	3	W Barker	8
	1 4	Wm Smith	1 7
30	2	A Mallos	72
	1	Labbe Bros	4 3
	1	P C Hyland	64 21
	4	T J Carter	94
4	W ½ 3	D F Harrington	5 09
	E ½ 4	G Friendly	4 40
	1	W Butler	10 84
	4	H B Hastings	6 42
35	2	Portland Dray and Hack Co	86 19
	1 4	E Quinn	23 57
21	1 3	G Mullard	7 82
16	1 4	Geo Marshall	216 40
15	2 3	J J Owens	25[illegible] 44
	1	T McCullough	6 35
	4	S. Tennoyer	6 80
			$1 559 28

By order of the Common Council

W S CALDWELL

Auditor and Clerk

Sept 27 1870, s27d10t

Third and South Third Streets

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT made by Ordinance No 866 for the improvement of Third and South Third streets between Harrison [illegible] in the manner provided by Ordinance No [illegible] the assessments thereon on each of the following described lots and parts of lots fronting [illegible] liable for [illegible] the intersections of said streets with streets [illegible] right angles there with within the line of the improvement is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin and unless paid within fifteen days from the date of this notice the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof.

Block	Lot	Owner	Assessment
141	1 2 3 4	Est B W [illegible]	$432
	N ½ [illegible]	N [illegible]	14 83
	N ½ [illegible]	B [illegible]	97 9
[illegible] 18	1 2	J R Watt	93 48
	3	F McCollum	46 8[illegible]
	4	Geo Palmer	45 1
14	8	E Bartl	4[illegible]
	6	W J Funk	53 68
	6	G L Hibbard	83 98
			$92[illegible] 25

By order of the Common Council

W S CALDWELL,

Sept 20 1870 d10d Auditor and Clerk

Front and South Front Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment made by Ordinance No 856 for the improvement of Front and South Front streets between Harrison and Sherman streets in the manner provided by Ordinance No 795 on each of the following described lots and parts of lots fronting and abutting upon said streets as are liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of said streets with streets running at right angles thereto within the line of improvement is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin and unless paid within fifteen days from the date of this notice the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof.

Block		Lot	Owner	Assessment
A		8	L L Beck	$8 46
		7	Whalley & Fechheimer	[illegible] 9
		6	L E Pratt	17 64
		5	B Dieghorn	41 37
C	3	8	R Olsen	158 18
21	1	3 4	P A Marquam	255 70
121		[illegible]	L A Goddard	46 02
J	1	3 4	J J McGowan	22 64
3	1	3 4	R Olsen	1[illegible] 50
				$6[illegible] 83

By order of the Common Council

W S CALDWELL,

Sept 20 1870 s20d10t Auditor and Clerk.

Ordinance No 860

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR QUIETING title to certain portions of the public property.

Whereas it is deemed expedient to quiet and perfect the title to certain pieces of land heretofore dedicated to the use of the city of Portland as Public Parks and Squares and whereas W W and M F Chapman have proposed to convey to the city any interest they may have whether as dower or otherwise in property so [illegible] especially the west half of Blocks No 53 and 54 and the Blocks known on the map as Park Blocks lying between Salmon and Mill streets now therefore

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 That the Standing Committee of the Common Council on Streets and Public Property be and are hereby authorized and empowered to negotiate with W W and M F Chapman for a deed conveying all their interest whether of dower or otherwise in the west half of Blocks numbered Fifty Three (53) and Fifty Four 54) and the Seven Blocks known as Park Blocks lying between East and West Park streets and Salmon and Mill streets. *Provided* that the consideration therefor including the expenses connected therewith shall not exceed Six Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

Section 2 That out of any appropriation for that purpose the Auditor and Clerk upon the certificate of the Committee on Streets and Public Property be and is hereby authorized to draw warrants for the amount of consideration for said deeds and for the expenses connected with procuring and recording the same

Passed the Common Council September 21 1870

W S CALDWELL

Auditor and Clerk

Approved Sept 22 1870

B GOLDSMITH Mayor

s23dt

Ordinance No. 861

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION to perfect titles to Public Property and for the expenses connected therewith.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 That there is and is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund the sum of Six Thousand Four Hundred Dollars in payment of the consideration for a deed from W W Chapman and wife for any interest [illegible] Blocks 53 and 54 and [illegible] Park Blocks [illegible] between Salmon and Mill streets [illegible] necessary expenses [illegible]

Passed the Common Council September [illegible] 1870

W S CALDWELL

Auditor and Clerk

Approved Sept [illegible] 1870

B GOLDSMITH Mayor

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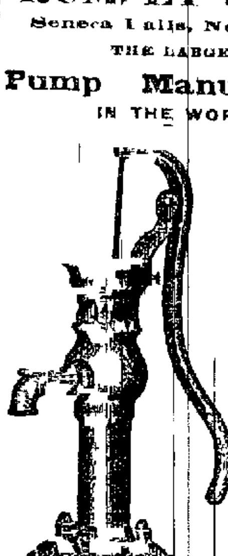

The Company of RUMSEY & CO of Seneca Falls employ [illegible] and sizes of [illegible] They [illegible] about 1,500 Pumps per week which range [illegible] to $[illegible], employing 350 hands [illegible] recently patented an improved galvanized [illegible] Pump [illegible] an improved Hand Fire Engine [illegible] are now [illegible] a new factory 84x42 feet 4 stories. When this is completed they will increase their working force to [illegible] hands. The business carried on by this firm was established by Rumsey about 30 years ago.—*Iron Age* New York d14d f

IN the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon—In [illegible] There will be a second meeting of creditors of George B [illegible] bankrupt at the office of W La [illegible] Hill Esq, Register in Bankruptcy at the City of Portland at [illegible] o'clock A M [illegible] Tuesday the 20th day of October A D 1870

[illegible] JOSEPH BACHMAN Assignee

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The following extracts from the *Oregonian* will convey a good idea of the plan and [illegible] the Association the location of the land [illegible]

RIVERSIDE HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATION

This association of whose organization [illegible] an account a few days since, is now ready [illegible] purpose of shares. As it is with the Portland Homestead Association, the organization of that kind in this city, [illegible] well enough to state what are the [illegible] the manner in which it is proposed [illegible] operations. The purposes of these Associations are not at all speculative in the ordinary sense of the word. They are [illegible] for the profits of their investment [illegible] general advance in the value of their land [illegible] quent upon the co-operation of many [illegible] —shareholders—and the advance in value of surrounding lands by reason of the [illegible] population and demand for [illegible] still near, the city. The Riverside Association has a fraction over one hundred and twenty acres of land situated just [illegible] Brooklyn on the east side of the river, its [illegible] est boundary line being about one mile from the ferry landing at East Portland. The land lies in one strip along the Willamette river [illegible] in length, and another strip along the [illegible] California railroad, half a mile in [illegible] strips being connected near [illegible] rows of blocks (with a street [illegible] whole forming a figure not unlike [illegible]. It is divided into 74 blocks, [illegible] streets running at right angles [illegible] al lots along the river front. [illegible] ber 600, worth $60 per share. [illegible] a share thus represents nearly a [illegible] vided interest in the 60 fractional [illegible] tional shares are to be sold off at [illegible] for the benefit of the Association [illegible] coming in for the proceeds in proportion [illegible] number of shares held. When all the [illegible] taken and the Association shall determine to do it, the choice of [illegible] will be put up at auction [illegible] bidder the proceeds of such sales [illegible] the original price of shares or lots [illegible] equally among the whole number of [illegible] Thus, if a person wants a particular lot and is willing to pay $100 or $200 [illegible] or less as the case may be, he [illegible] the lot or block as his individual [illegible] premium being divided among the [illegible] of shareholders. It will be [illegible] everything is co-operative, and all [illegible] tual. No man can make a dollar [illegible] out also making a dollar for [illegible] shareholder. There is no [illegible] the property by some shares [illegible] far below the first set [illegible] liable to happen in the case [illegible] tract of land must be judged [illegible] but considering the steady and [illegible] vance on real estate in this city [illegible] hood and at East Portland [illegible] last year or two, it [illegible] values to go back.

In the Riverside [illegible] tions seem to have been taken [illegible] monopolies of shares. No [illegible] buy more than the number of shares [illegible] three blocks, or twenty-four lots, [illegible] terminating the operations of the [illegible] restricted in the same way. The [illegible] shares may pay down $60 [illegible] exempt them from all [illegible] pay $15 quarterly with an [illegible] share payable with the first [illegible] liable in this latter case to [illegible] other) assessment of $7 per [illegible] payment of the shares in full [illegible] as above the holder is entitled to [illegible] and his proportion of all the [illegible] all sources. No officer of the [illegible] any pay for services except the [illegible] gets $25 per month, so [illegible] expenses must be light.

That part of the tract lying along [illegible] a high plateau, nearly level, about [illegible] above the water. There is [illegible] row of blocks but [illegible] Portland and the river for [illegible] stream. That part of the tract [illegible] railroad is, every foot of it, [illegible] soil and adapted to gardening [illegible] tiful little stream of pure water [illegible] almost the entire length of this [illegible] affording the means of [illegible] ficient to supply pure water [illegible] whole tract. There is not [illegible] lot in the entire tract. [illegible] tages it would seem impossible [illegible] be any chance of loss to shareholders [illegible] year each shareholder, if he [illegible] perfect title to as many lots as [illegible] represent, or he may continue [illegible] vided with the Association while [illegible] tion may exist.—*Oregonian*

THE RIVERSIDE HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATION

We have been led to make these [illegible] fact that the subject of making [illegible] sites of this city and East Portland, is being [illegible] discussed here among all [illegible]

Riverside just south of East [illegible] been established. The site [illegible] ng a little over a mile south of the ferry [illegible] shaped like the letter H one side of which [illegible] in length borders on the river.

From this portion of the [illegible] but a trifle above the other prong of the H [illegible] forty or fifty feet above the river, [illegible] sive view of Portland, East Portland, [illegible] the Willamette river for several miles [illegible] fertile and is partly covered with [illegible] tract of land just wide enough for [illegible] with an avenue between them, [illegible] of the H (which has already been [illegible] the east. This last tract of land is [illegible] valley which is now under a high [illegible] Through its whole length runs a trout brook [illegible] of which is clear as crystal. With a [illegible] Association propose to have water [illegible] every portion of the homestead.

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